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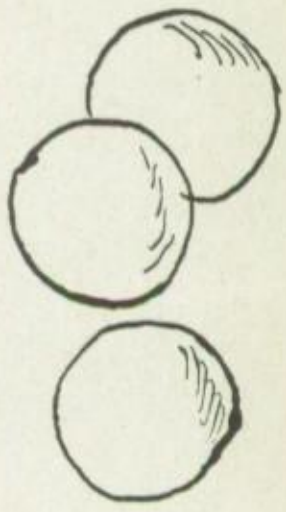
Growing Personalities of Bluffton High School



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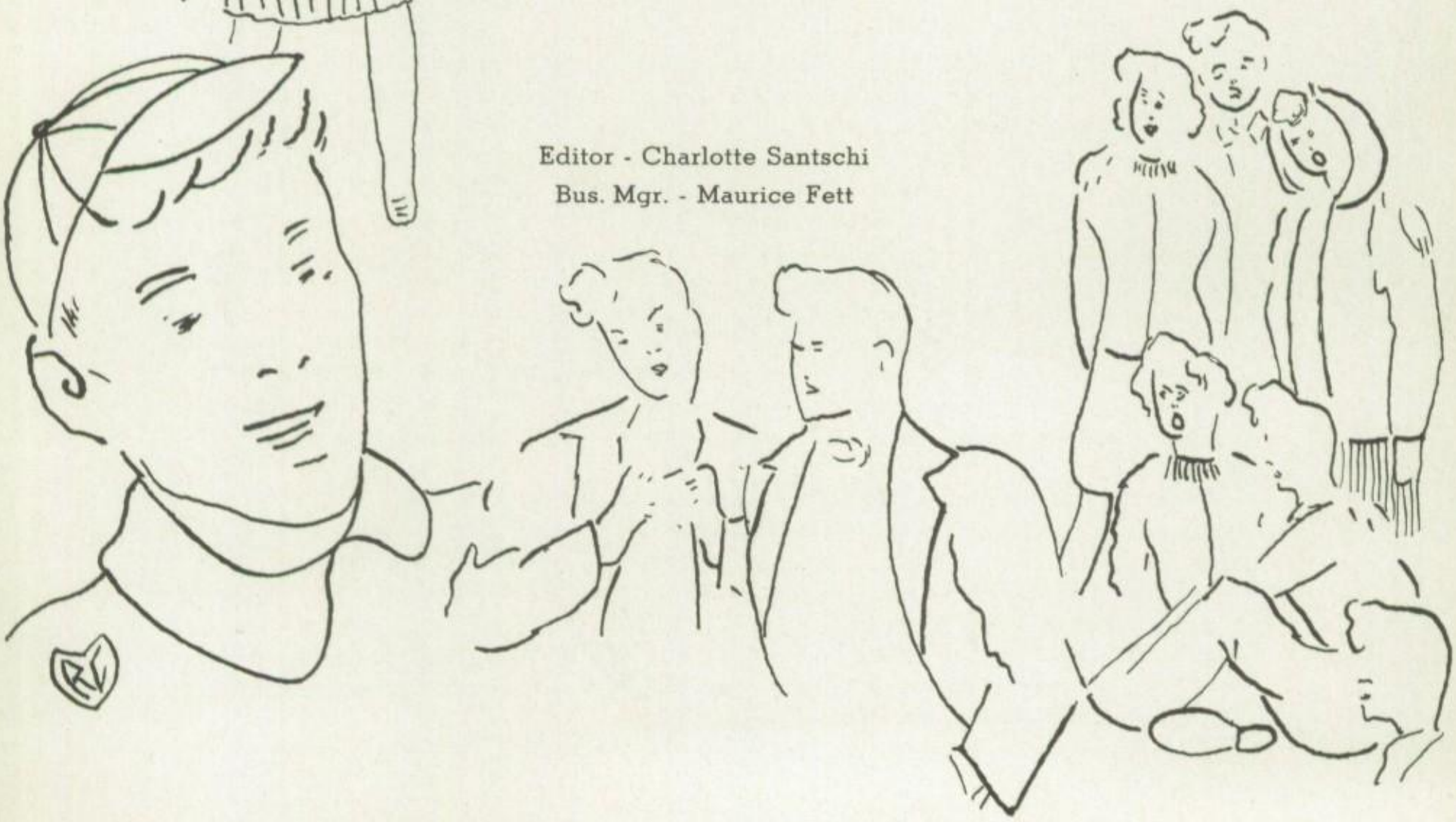


Bluffton High School Personalities

Ordinarily we would think of a building as merely so many bricks, but occasionally we find such vitality and life housed in a building that the four walls seem to radiate it. Such an edifice is Bluffton High school.

This institution has served many students in their desire for learning, and each person has left some remnant of his personality to be imbedded in the memories of the school. Firmly placed in the foundation is the sincere wish to learn that encourages each one of us with its strength. Each personality must have its basis, and as this basis, knowledge most surely is foremost in our school.

Upon this foundation we find many tangents that make school life interesting. There are athletics, in which we excel. Where would a personality be without the sportsmanship and honest competition that make each strive for something better? It is that, and the enjoyment of gathering in the school that make it ring with friendly rivalry, and this same friendliness is an important factor in our school's personality.

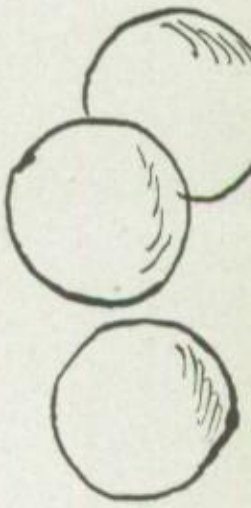
Among the finer arts we find expression in music. Students with a love of music have made our school a famed musical center. Bluffton is synonymous with music, and its charm is found making the darkest corners of the building bright.

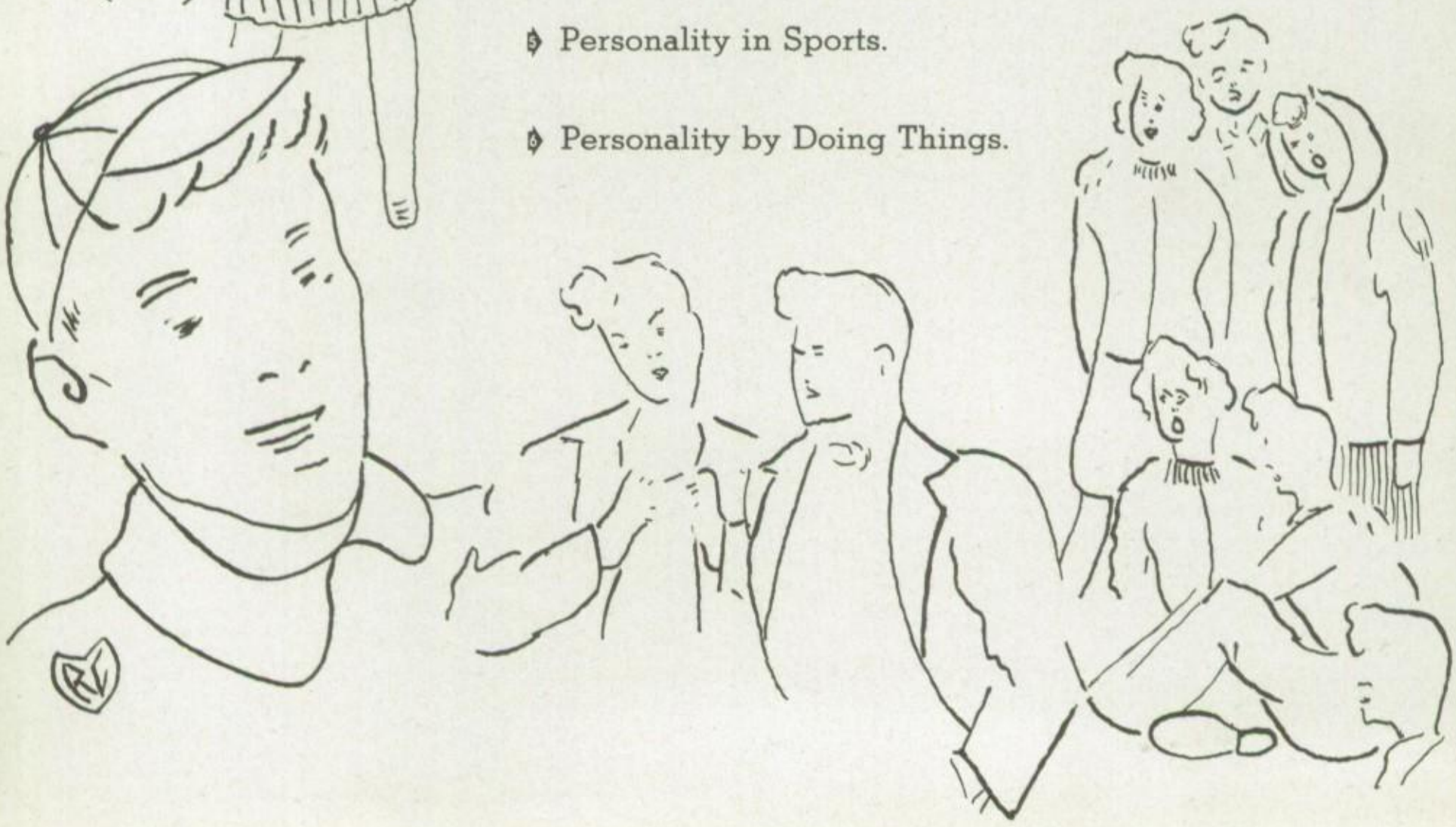
In the various clubs and organizations we discover fellowship and cooperation second to none.

Put all these qualities together—knowledge, sportsmanship, friendliness, cooperation, charm, along with many, many more, add the sum, and the total will spell—The Personality of Bluffton High School.

—Harriet Blome

1. Personality of Bluffton.
2. Personality of Those At The Helm.
3. Personality of The Students.
4. Personality in Group Activity.
5. Personality in Sports.
6. Personality by Doing Things.





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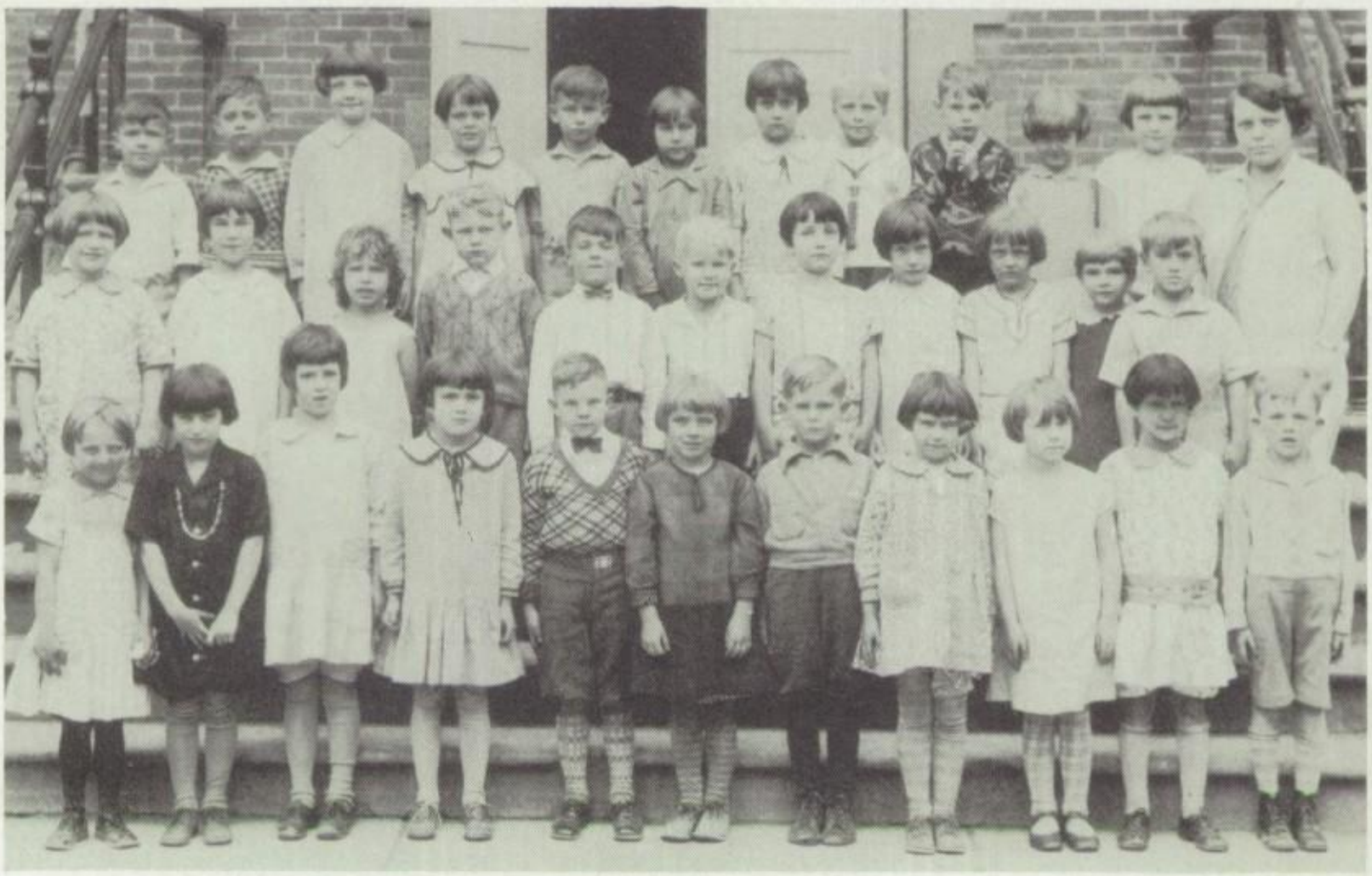
An Old School Rich in Tradition

But Modern
Looking To Future

Weren't We Cute Once?

Our Start in the Pursuit of Knowledge



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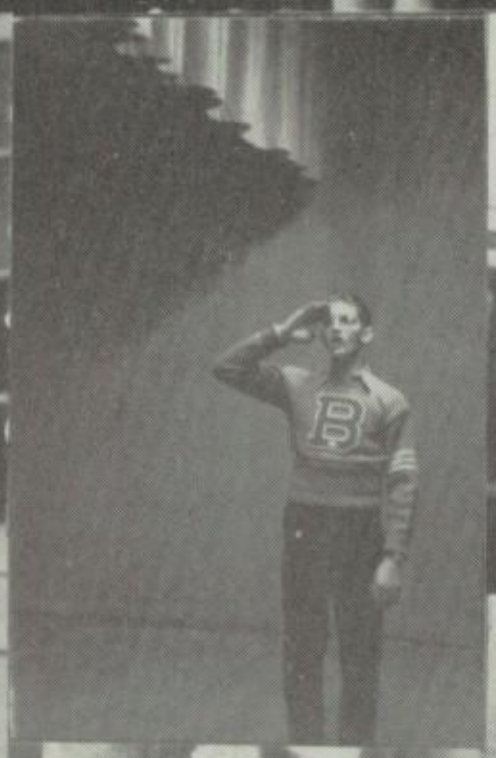

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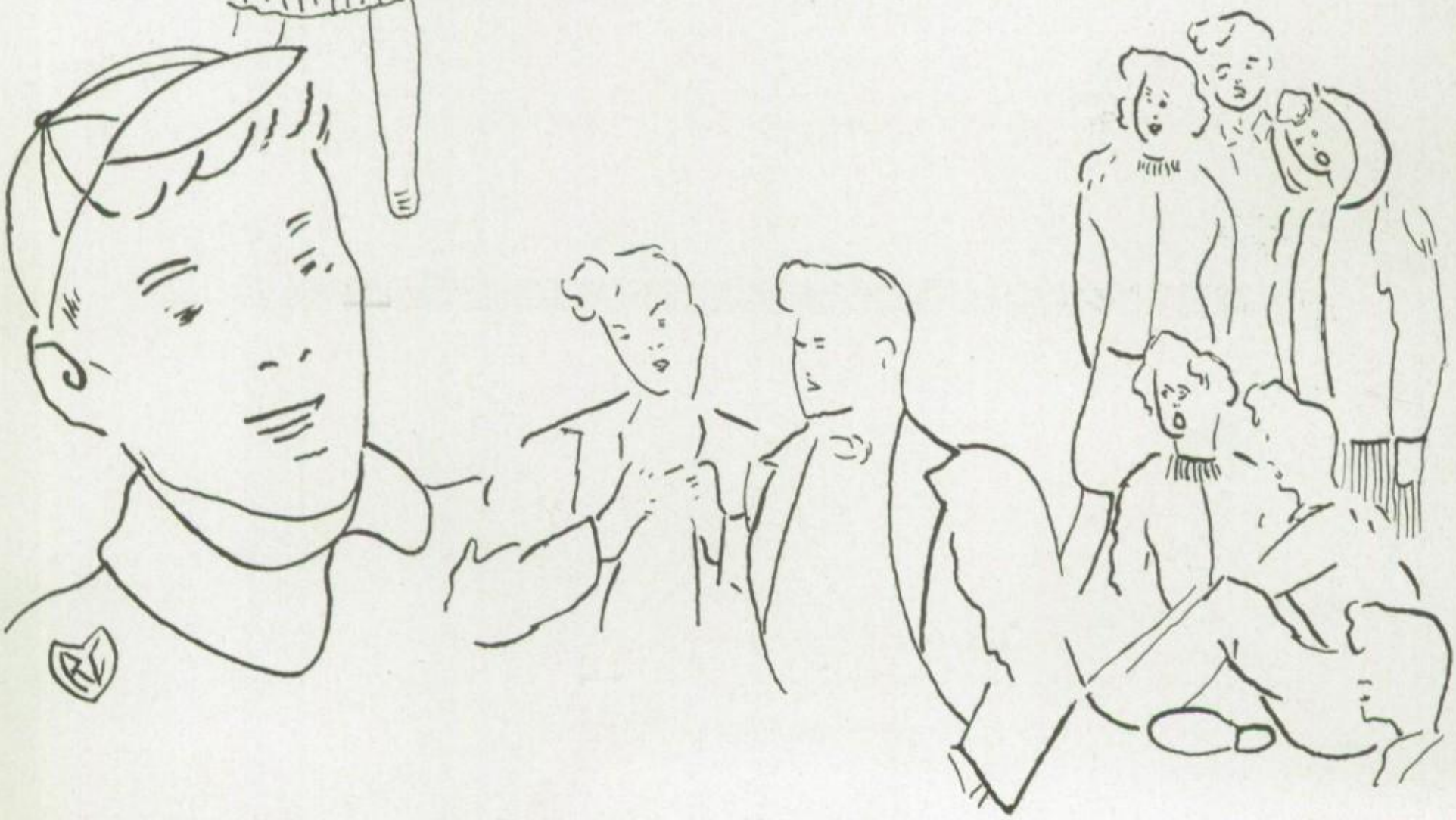
Personality of Those At The Helm



In Memoriam

Students and faculty were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. A. J. B. Longsdorf, wife of our superintendent, who passed away early Sunday morning on March 16. Although everyone knew of the failing health of Mrs. Longsdorf very few realized the seriousness of the condition that led to her death.

Despite her failing health she was known as a cheerful and kind person always with a ready smile and cheerful disposition. Whenever she came to the high school she could always be seen talking with students and teachers alike showing a genuine interest and concern in their manifold problems.

The unusually large number of floral offerings and the hundreds of messages of condolence that poured in to Supt. Longsdorf amply attested to the high esteem in which Mrs. Longsdorf was held. We shall always remember her as a kind and gracious person—one concerning whom it was a privilege to know as a friend.

A. J. B. LONGSDORF—SUPERINTENDENT
Ph. B., Wooster
A. M., Columbia
Ohio State University

WILMA NONNAMAKER
OFFICE SECRETARY

GERHARD BUHLER—PRINCIPAL
GENERAL SCIENCE—PHYSICS
A. B., Bluffton College
A. M., Cincinnati
University of Chicago

WILHELM A. AMSTUTZ—MATHEMATICS
A. B., Lima College
Miami University
University of Chicago

OCIE ANDERSON—LIBRARIAN
B. S. in Ed., Waynesburg
B. S. in Lib. Sc., Western Reserve

HARRY F. BARNES—VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE
B. S. in Ag., Ohio State University

HELEN M. BOSS—LANGUAGES
A. B., Denison
M. A., Ohio State University

EDYTHE CUPP—HOME ECONOMICS
B. S., Ohio State University
Bowling Green University
Miami University

ARTHUR L. DAYMON—GENERAL SHOP
A. B., Findlay College
Toledo University
Ohio State University

DWIGHT DILLER—BOYS' PHYSICAL EDUCATION—COACH
B. S., Central Missouri State Teachers' College
University of Michigan

FLORENCE DUFFIELD—COMMERCIAL
B. S., Bowling Green University

WILFORD GEIGER—BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
A. B., Bluffton College
A. M., Ohio State University

W. A. HOWE—ENGLISH—COMMERCIAL LAW
A. B., Bluffton College
A. M., Ohio State University
Beaune University

MRS. RUSSELL LANTZ—ART
A. B., Bluffton College
Goshen College
Emporia State Teachers College
Chicago Art Institute
Illinois Normal U.

GEORGE W. SIGG—ELECTRICAL COURSE
Toledo University

THERESA SLUSSER—ENGLISH AND HISTORY
A. B., Bluffton College
Bowling Green University

ORDEN SMUCKER—SOCIAL SCIENCES
A. B., Bluffton College
A. M., University of Chicago
Ohio State University

THEOLA STEINER—GIRLS' PHYSICAL EDUCATION
B. S., Bowling Green University
Bluffton College
Cincinnati

SIDNEY C. STETTLER—MATHEMATICS
A. B., Bluffton College
Ohio State University

PAUL STAUFFER—SPEECH—DRAMATICS
A. B., Bluffton College
A. M., University of Michigan

SIDNEY HAUENSTEIN—INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
Ph. C., University of Michigan
Chicago Music College
Chautauqua Institute

ELIZABETH A. HIGLEY—VOCAL MUSIC
B. A., Ohio Wesleyan
M. A., Ohio State University

ELIZABETH TIEFENTHALER—RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Th. B., Northern Baptist Seminary
M. R. E., Northern Baptist Seminary
R. N., Cleveland City Hospital

They Determine School Policies and Provide Funds

BOARD OF EDUCATION

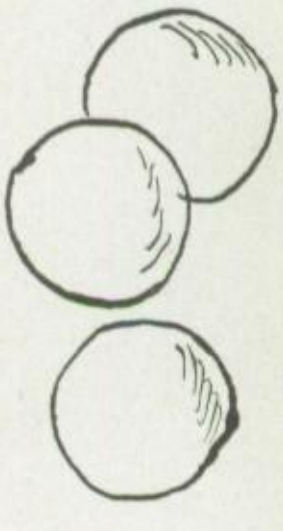
John Tosh, Waldo Niswander, Forrest Steinman, Leland Diller,
Elmer Short, Waldo Hofstetter.

They Develop Future B. H. S. Personalities

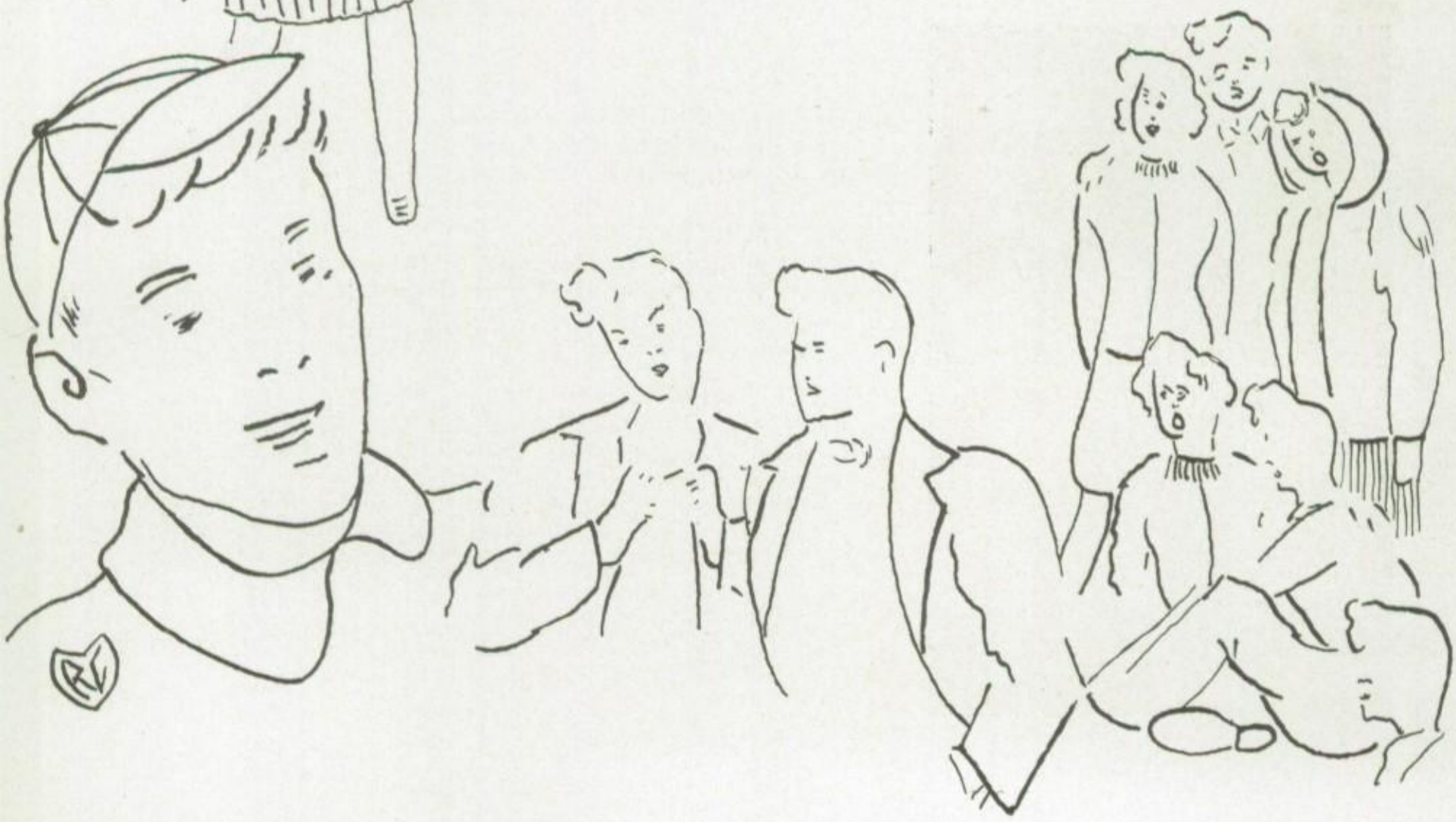
GRADE SCHOOL TEACHERS

First Grade—Mrs. Grace Cox
First & Third Grades—Floy McBain
Second Grade—Meredith Stepleton
Third Grade—Levada Balmer

Fourth Grade—Minerva Hilty
Fifth Grade—Mrs. Adella Oyer
Fifth & Sixth Grades—Robert Ewing
Sixth Grade—A. M., Wilhelm Amstutz
P. M., Theola Steiner



Personality of The Students



Bluffton High Seniors Have Developed

Officers

President.....Harlan Swank
Vice President.....Charlotte Santschi
Secretary.....Marjorie Buckland
Treasurer.....Maurice Fett
Advisors.....Mr. Smucker, Mr. Daymon

Long about September, 1929. dubious teachers found themselves facing the future "class of '41." If we were a little troublesome I guess they will forgive us, for how were they to know we would turn out as we have.

We were the third seventh grade class to enter the high school building and succeeded in finding a place for ourselves under the guidance of Harriet Blome, Pres., Gerald Augsburger, V. Pres., and Harold Augsburger, Sec'y-Treas.

During the eighth grade we made much progress in music, athletics and scholarship. Our officers for this year were Betty Steinman, Pres.; John Stettler, Vice Pres.; Dale Grismore, Sec'y-Treas.

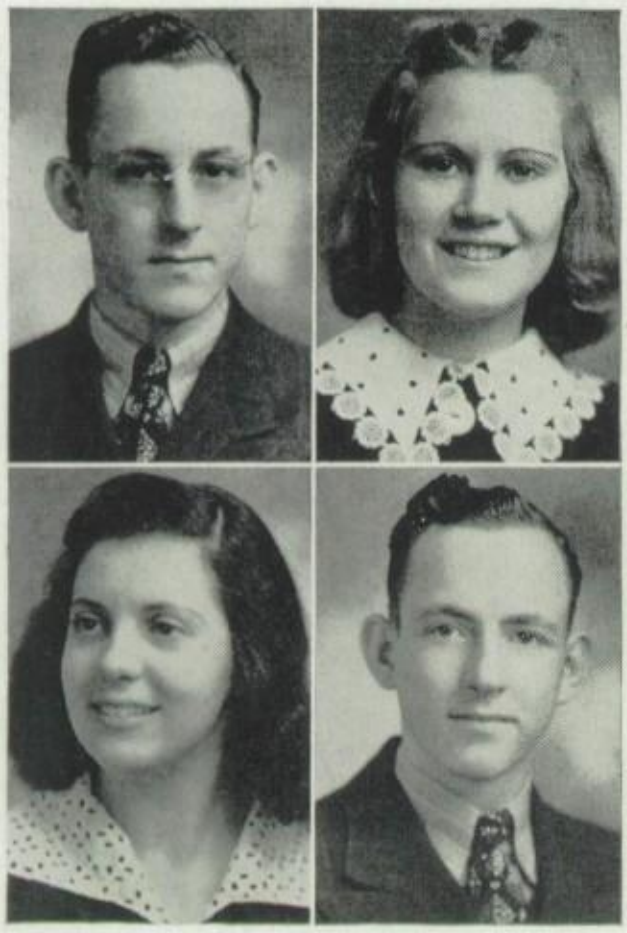
As freshman, we were branching out into various activities. Our leaders in preparing us for senior high school were as follows: Harlan Swank, Pres., Bette Murray, V. Pres., John Stettler, Sec'y-Treas.

"Sophisticated" hardly described our class in the throes of sophmorism. With Marilynn Hofer as Pres., Lois Schaeublin as V. Pres., and Helen Soldner as Sec'y-Treas., we put plenty of pep in all our activities.

In our busy junior year we planned and carried out a junior-senior leap year party, junior-senior banquet and prom and many other club functions. John Stettler was elected Pres., with Carolyn Stonehill as V. Pres., and Billie Bechtel as Sec'y-Treas.

We entered our senior year with "Swankie" doing an encore as Pres., Charlotte Santschi, V. Pres., Marjorie Buckland, Sec'y., and Maurice Fett, Treas., paved the way smooth for the rest of the class.

—Harriet Blome



GERALD AUGSBURGER (Gerald)

Hi-Y 2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; A Capella 2-3-4; Pinafore 4; Chimes of Normandy 2; Orchestra 2-3-4; F.F.A. 1.

BILLIE BECHTEL (Bill)

G. R. 2; G.A.A. 2; Footloose 3; Science Club 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Sec'y-Treas. Jr. Class; Cutlass 4.

HARRIET BLOME (Harriet)

Tri-Y 1 (Vice Pres.); Orchestra 1-2-3-4; A Capella 2-3; G. R. 2-3-4 (Cabinet 3-4); Cutlass 1-2-3-4 (Assoc. Ed. 4); Thespians 4 (Pres.); Science Club 3; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Camera Club 3; National Junior Honor Society 1-2 (Pres. 2); Chimes of Normandy 2; National Senior Honor Society 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

HAROLD AUGSBURGER (Harold)

Hi-Y 2-3-4; Band 1-2; A Capella 2-3-4; Pinafore 4; Chimes of Normandy 2; Cutlass 3-4; Buccaneer 4; F.F.A. 1.

Their Personalities Through Participation

BETTY BRACY (Betty)

G. R. 2-3-4 (Cabinet 4); Tri-Y 1.

MAYNARD BADERTSCHER (Dutch)

Hi-Y 2-3-4; Recorder Editor 4.

DON CLARK (Ted)

Basketball 1-2-3-4; Hi-Y 2.

FAIRY BRONSON (Fairy)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3.

MARJORIE BUCKLAND (Margie)

G. R. 3-4; Buccaneer (Assoc. Ed. 4); Secretary 4; Tri-Y 1; Band 2; Orchestra 2.

MAURICE FETT (Sparkie)

Treasurer 4; Buccaneer 4 (Bus. Mgr.); Football 2-3-4; Hi-Y 2-3.

CLYDE FISHER (Fish)

Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3; Hi-Y 2-3.

DOROTHY BURKHOLDER (Dot)

F.H.A. 1-2-3-4 (Historian 4).

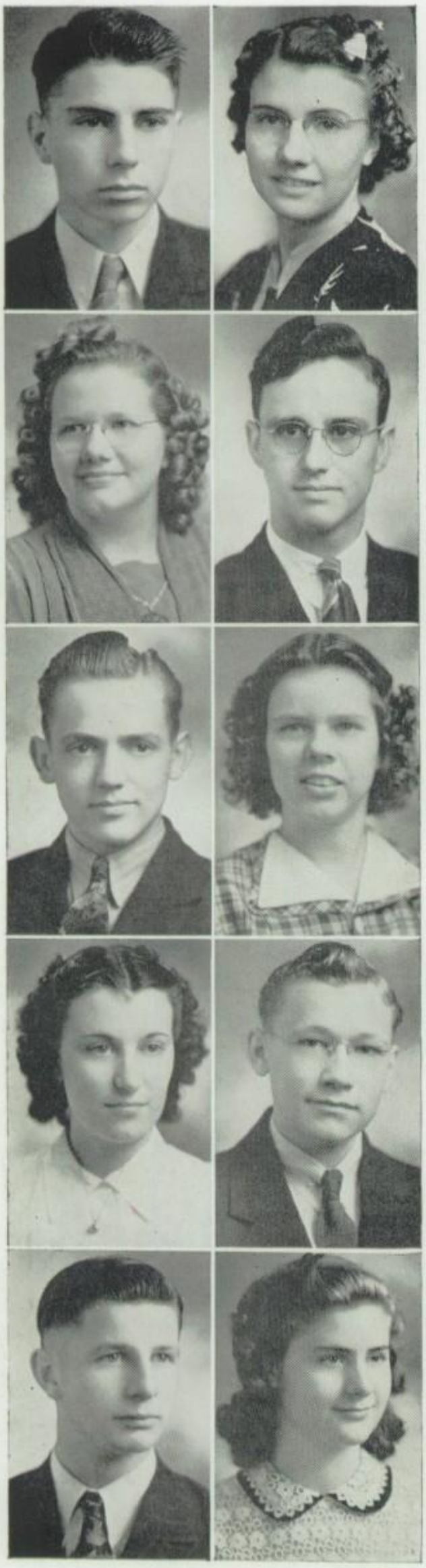
RUTH CORE (Corkie)

Cutlass 4.

DALE GRISMORE (Gris)

Hi-Y 2-3-4; Thespians 4; Science Club 3; Orchestra 2-3-4; A Capella 1-2-3-4; Footloose 3; Chapel Committee 4; Princess Bonnie 1; Chimes of Normandy 2; Pinafore 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

In School Activities---Music, Dramatics,



KENNETH HARTMAN (De Vince)

Football 4.

OLIVE DeCAMP (Campie)

Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

WANDA DILLER (Dill)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3-4 (Cabinet 4); Robinson Crusoe 3; Thespians 4; G.A.A. 3-4; Orchestra 1-2-3-4; A Capella 4; Pinafore 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

CLYDE KLINGLER (Junior)

F.F.A. 1-2-3-4.

CHARLES LORA (Chuck)

F.F.A. 3.

WINIFRED FETT (Wimpy)

F.H.A. 1-2; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

GEORGIA FISHER (Georgia)

G. R. 2-3-4; A Capella 2-3-4.

NORMAN LUGIBIHL (Lukie)

F.F.A. 4.

WILLIAM McCAFFERTY (Bill)

F.F.A. 1-2.

DORIS GENE GARMATTER (Doris Gene)

G. R. 2-3-4; F.H.A. 1-2-3-4 (Cabinet 3-4 Pres. 4); G.A.A. 3-4; A Capella 2-3-4; Thespians 4; Robinson Crusoe 3; Footloose 3; Tri-Y 1; Student Senate 4; Chimes of Normandy 2; Pianfore 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

Journalism, Speech, Athletics, Student Government

DOROTHY GREDING (Do Do)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3-4 (Treas. 4); Orchestra 1-2-3-4 (Pres. 4); A Capella 4; Student Senate 4; Robinson Crusoe 3.

FRANCIS MARQUART (Frank)

F.F.A. 1-2 (Sec'y 2); Science Club 1-2-3.

JAMES MARTIN (Jim)

Football 2-3-4.

GENEVA HANKISH (Hank)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Orchestra 2-3-4; G.A.A. 3.

TREVA HARRIS (Treva)

F.H.A. 2-3-4; G. R. 4; Tri-Y 1; G.A.A. 3.

GEORGE MYERS (Myers)

Science Club 2-3-4; Buccaneer 4; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3.

EUGENE NEWLAN (Bud)

Football 3-4; Track 3.

MARILYNN HOFER (Ty)

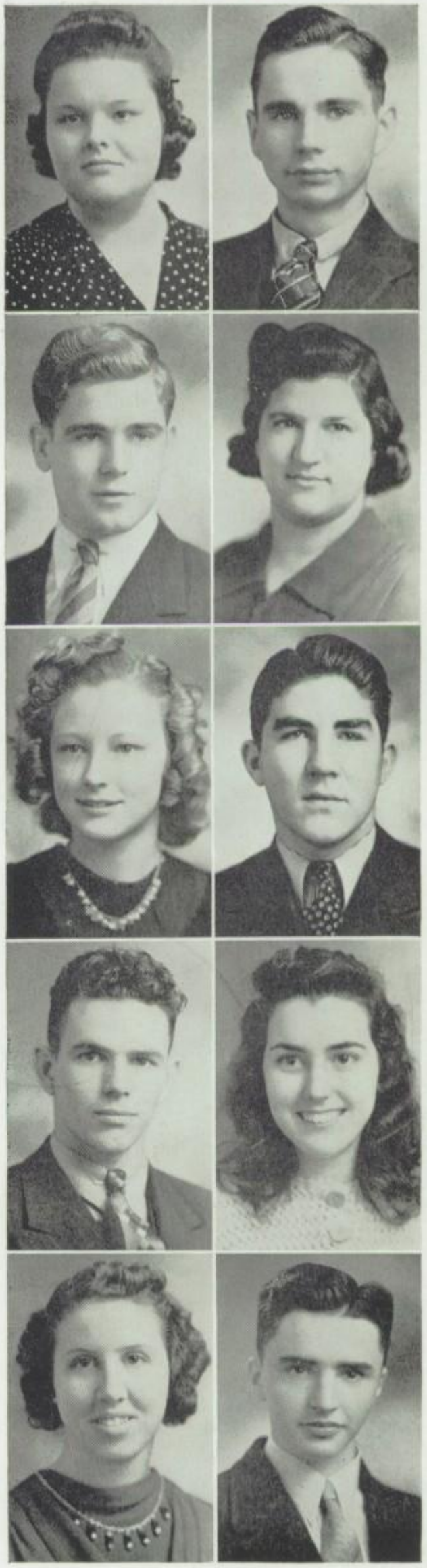
Tri-Y 1; Pres. Class 2; G.A.A. 3-4 (Board) Pres. 4; Cutlass 2-3-4 (Editor 4); F.H.A. 1; Student Senate 2-4 (Sec'y 4).

MAE HUBER (Shortie)

F.H.A. 1-2-3-4; Cutlass 4.

RAY NISWANDER (Ray)

Hi-Y 2-3-4 (Sec'y 4); Buccaneer 4; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Recorders 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.



Which has Taught Them to Live Socially

KENNETH OBERLY (Kenny)

Science Club 4; Football 4; National Senior Honor Society 3-4 (Vice Pres. 4).

MADLYN ISHAM (Madlyn)

G. R. 2-3; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Tri-Y 1.

GRACE MILLER (Grace)

G. R. 3-4; F.H.A. 1-2.

HERBERT REICHENBACH (Herb)

F.F.A. 4.

HAROLD SANTSCHI (Santschi)

Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 2; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Hi-Y 2-3-4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

VELDEAN MOSER (Vel)

F.H.A. 1-2-3-4 (Vice Pres. 4).

BETTE MURRAY (Betsie)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3-4; Vice Pres. Class 1; Footloose 3; Cutlass 4.

HERBERT SIEFIELD (Sie)

Science Club 4; Recorders 4.

JOHN STETTLER (Johnnie)

Hi-Y 2-3-4 (Pres. 4, Vice Pres. 3); Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Football 2-3-4; Student Senate 3-4 (Pres. 4); Science Club 1-2-3-4; Student Patrol 3; Class Pres. 3; Jr. National Honor Society 1-2; Sr. National Honor Society 3-4; Thespians 4; Band 2-3; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

CHARLOTTE SANTSCHI (Chotty)

Tri-Y 1 (Pres.); G. R. 2-3-4 (Pro. Chr. 4); Robinson Crusoe 3; Orchestra 2-3-4; Cutlass 2-3; Buccaneer 4 (Editor); Science Club 3; Camera Club 3; Vice Pres. Class 4; Student Senate 4; National Jr. Honor Society 1-2 (Sec'y 2); National Sr. Honor Society 4; Chapel Committee 3.

Useful and Individually Constructed Lives

LOIS SCHAEUBLIN (Pete)

Tri-Y 1; G.A.A. 3; G. R. 4; A Capella 1; Princess Bonnie 1; Vice Pres. Class 2; F.H.A. 1-2-3-4 (Treas. 4); National Sr. Honor Society 4 (Pres.).

HARLAN SWANK (Swankie)

Hi-Y 2-3-4; Class Pres. 1-4; Student Senate 1-4; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Thespians 3-4; Buccaneer 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

ARTHUR THIESSEN (Art)

Hi-Y 3; National Sr. Honor Society 3-4; Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Orchestra 3.

HELEN SOLDNER (Perk)

Tri-Y 1; G. R. 2-3-4; G.A.A. 3-4 (Board) (Vice Pres. 4); Orchestra 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2; A Capella 2-3-4 (Vice Pres. 4); Footloose 3; Robinson Crusoe 3; Thespians 4; F.H.A. 1; Buccaneer 4; Cutlass 3; Sec'y Class 2; Pinafore 4; Chimes of Normandy 2; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

BETTY STEINMAN (Betty)

G. R. 2-3-4 (V. Pres. 3), (Pres. 4); Student Senate 4; Orchestra 1-2-3-4; A Capella 2-3-4; Nat. Forensic League 4; Tri-Y 1 (Sec'y); Cutlass 1-2-3-4; Robinson Crusoe 3; Footloose 3; Pinafore 4; Chimes of Normandy 2; National Sr. Honor Society 4; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

HARRY TURNER (Junior)

Camera Club 3; Hi-Y 3-4.

ROBERT WATKINS (Bob)

Football 1-2-3-4.

CAROLYN STONEHILL (Stoney)

Tri-Y 1; G.A.A. 3-4; G. R. 2-4; Robinson Crusoe 3; Cutlass 2-3-4; Vice Pres. Class 3; A Capella 2-3; National Jr. Honor Society 1-2; Chimes of Normandy 2; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

MARJORIE STRATTON (Toots)

G. R. 2-4; F.H.A. 2-3-4; A Capella 1-2-4; Robinson Crusoe 3; Footloose 3; G.A.A. 3; Princess Bonnie 1; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

FREIDA VANDEMARK (Fritz)

F.H.A. 2; A Capella 3; Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come 4.

Here are the Juniors 73 of Them

Officers

President.....Robert Cooney

Vice President.....Neil Neuenschwander

Sec'y-Treas.....Roger Howe

Advisors.....Miss Higley, Mr. Sigg

Robert Albro
Colleen Augsburger
James Amstutz

Wilhelm Amstutz, II
Carol Bame
Richard Augsburger
Daisy Basinger

Betty Bish
Ralph Balmer
Harriet Burkholder
Richard Balmer

Norman Beidler
Jeanette Burkholder
Richard Berky
Margaret Burkholder

Hildred Eversole
Gerald Bowers
Wava Fisher
Evan Burkholder

Rarin' to Take That Final Step

Weldon Burkholder
Ruth Garmatter
James Clark

Robert Cooney
Rebecca Hofstetter
Virginia Geiger
Harold Crouse

Ruth Hankish
Rosann Hilty
Wayne Dailey
James Deppler

James Fett
Betty Holtkamp
Byron Fritchie
Edna Huber

Glenna Kohler
Kenneth Geiger
Treva Matter
Richard Gratz

Russell Gratz
Marjorie Moser
John Herrmann
Margery Niswander

Belle Potee
Roger Howe
Marjorie Reams
Paul Klassen

They Contributed Much to School Personality

Wilmer Lehman
Ruth Schumacher
Le Roy Lugibihl

Neil Neuenschwander
Juanita Shumaker
Lysle Niswander
Eloise Sommer

Mary E. Stearns
James Reichenbach
Marcene Stonehill
Peter Schmidt

Ned Schultz
Wava Stotts
Wesley Sommers
Kathryn Swick

Marjean Todd
Evan Steiner
Eilene Triplehorn
James Steiner

James Stratton
Eileen Wenger
David Tosh
Margaret Young

Carroll Tschiegg
Clayton Weiss
Marjorie Zuercher
Merlin Zuercher

The Juniors Scored Success in "A Good Egg"

CAST

(In order of appearance)

Mrs. Clayton	Hildred Eversole
Dr. Jefferson Clayton	Robert Cooney
Junior Clayton	Norman Beidler
Vivian, his sister	Eileen Wenger
Laura, the maid	Rebecca Hofstetter
	Carol Bame
Bumps Bicknell, Junior's pal	James Fett
	Harold Crouse
Lorrine Maynard, English Teacher	Virginia Geiger
	Ruth Hankish
Jean Gillespie	Mary Elizabeth Stearns
	Marcene Stonehill
Jimmie, Laura's friend	Richard Augsburger
	Lysle Niswander
Pert Bicknell	Rosann Hilty
Jimmy Gillespie, Jean's brother	Wayne Dailey
	Roger Howe
Motorcycle Policemen	Roger Howe
	Lysle Niswander
	Richard Augsburger
	Wayne Dailey
Fireman	Richard Berky

Here are the Peppy Sophomores

1st row—Wilma Steiner, Mary Ellen Luginbuhl, Vera Smithley, Dorothy Jennings, Barbara Triplett, Roberta Wenger.
2nd row—Richard Oberly, Raymond Schumacher, John Dunbar, Robert Oberly, Albert Ingalls, James Stonehill.
3rd row—Ellen Basinger, Doris Dunifon, Florence Ann Hofer, Dorothy Anderson, Alice Oyer.
4th row—Weldon Depeler, Edgar Huber, Herbert Devier, Floyd Herr, Herbert Conrad, Kenneth Winkler.

President.....James Stonehill

V. Pres.....Floyd Herr

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Even though the sophomore class is the smallest class in the high school, consisting of forty-six students, it is not small in comparison with other classes in its talents.

Most every boy or girl in the sophomore class belongs to one of the many organizations. The boys belonging to F. F. A. or Hi-Y. The girls belong to G. R., F. H. A. or G. A. A. The girls in G. A. A. participate in the intramural sports.

The students show talent in music. In instrumental as well as vocal music. Two from the sophomore class have leading roles in the high school operetta.

Two of the managers of the basketball and football teams are sophomore boys. Two of the cheerleaders are also sophomores.

The outstanding party of the year was a party which was given at Christmas time. The sophomore partys are supervised by our advisor, Miss Florence Duffield.

1st row—Donavin Moser, Adah Lehman, Darlene Truex, Mary Jane Worthington, Treva Marquart, Robert Young.
2nd row—Clyde Sommer, Sylvan Burkholder, Gaylord Parker, Denard Loganbill, Ralph Akhaus.
3rd row—Harriette Fett, Eileen Moser, Eleanor Thiessen, Aline Hilty, Grace Core, La Verne Burkholder.
4th row—Richard Klay, John Schmidt, Arthur Dellinger, James Gratz, Ellis Hauenstein, Calvin Dudgeon.
Not pictured—Alice Augsburger.

Sec'y & Treas.....
Mary Ellen Luginbuhl

Advisor .....Miss Duffield

The Yearlings Show Much Promise

Pres.....Glenna Swick

V. Pres.....Treva Kempf

1st row—Ruth Burkholder, Imojene Bronson, Margaret Griffith, Glenna Swick, Ann Hochstettler, Janice Hankish, Florence Ann Blome.
2nd row—Robert Phillips, David Dean, Helen Greding, Beverly Biery, Norman Sumney, Maurice Kohli.
3rd row—Robert Amstutz, Earl Dean Luginbuhl, Harry Minck, Robert Burkholder, Roger Klay.
4th row—Lois Oyer, Madalene McCune, Alice Santschi, Mary Margaret Basinger, Jane Howe.

FRESHMAN CLASS

The Freshman Class holds a very definite position in the personality of the high school. The core of our personality is based upon our activities of which we have many.

F. H. A. and F. F. A. members are our domestic side. A Capella, orchestra, and band members are our musical side. Football, basketball, and G. A. A. members are our athletic side. Blue Triangle members are our religious side.

The Junior National Honor Society is graced by five of our members, being: Glenna Swick, Lois Oyer, Beverly Biery, Mary Margaret Basinger, and Earl Dean Luginbuhl. The Cutlass is aided by three of our members, being: Mary Margaret Basinger, Levon Wilch, and Alice Santschi.

1st row—Joyce Young, Miriam Schaeublin, Freda Fritchie, Joan Buckland, Mary Gene Siefield, Dorothy Burkholder, Helen Burkholder.
2nd row—Margaret Shumaker, Treva Kempf, Clare Reagan, Mary Habegger, Aileen Diller, Virginia Miller, Levon Wilch.
3rd row—Bill Mericle, Gerald Ewing, Varden Loganbill, Robert Stratton, Dale Huber, Evan Neiswander.
4th row—Wayne Badertscher, James Herrmann, Kenneth Reichenbach, Raymond Kohli.
Not pictured—Hugh Chamberlain, Thomas Conaway.

Sec'y-Treas....Levon Wilch

Advisor.....Miss Slusser

These Eighth Graders are the Future Intellects

Pres.....Otto Klassen

V. Pres.....Joyce Nonnamaker

1st row—Paul Reichenbach, James Scott, Walter Stannus, Robert Shumaker, Harley Steiner.
2nd row—Francis Kohli, Marjorie Clark, Doris Barber, Alice Jean Bixel, Janice Wingate, Miriam Stettler, Morris Moser.
3rd row—Eileen Weinhold, Mary Lou Schmidt, Joyce Nonnamaker, Esther Berky, Dorothy Wenger.
4th row—Charles Triplehorn, Robert Stratton, Neil Schmidt, Dean Niswander, Ralph Burkholder, Richard Rockey.
5th row—Jean Ann Steinman, Mary Lou Shafer, Genevieve Buhler, Sara Amstutz, Peggy Finton.

After getting off to a flying start last year the eighth grade is continuing the good work in junior high school in an outstanding fashion. The class already has a reputation of ranking very high in scholastic ability.

The class boasts many brilliant students and an eighth grade class room is always a very interesting and lively place.

But let no one think that the efforts of the class are confined to class room work. The class already has showed signs of developing outstanding extra-curricular leadership. There are many talented musicians in the class who contribute much to the musical organizations of the school.

In addition there are a number of promising athletes in the class who in several years should be wearing the red and white as regular members of varsity teams. Several of the class have played on the junior high school basketball team and have given very creditable performances.

1st row—Gordon Bixel, Ruby Lehman, Eileen Haller, Priscilla Gunther, Roma Welty, Eileen Hartman, Mary Lou Young, James Dailey.
2nd row—Daryl Amstutz, Robert Diller, Evan Herr, David Anderson, Robert Gratz, Otto Klassen, James Anderson, Wilson Boutwell.
3rd row—Betty Clark, Rachel Hoffer, Esther Schumacher, Lois Burkholder, Louise Wilch, Julee Garmatter, Juanita Bame.
4th row—Ronald Zimmerly, Kenneth Finton, Fred Herrmann, Janet Steiner, Dorothy Dunbar, Nadine Allman.
Not pictured—David Amstutz, Robert Brenner, Mabel Burkholder.

Sec.-Treas. Ronald Zimmerly

Advisor.....Miss Steiner

Here are the Embryonic Seventh Grade Neo-Phytes

Pres.....Kenneth Moser

V. Pres.....David Stearns

1st row—Frederick Sumney, Donald Root, Dale Berryhill, Roger Murray, Harold Core, John Bracy, Kenneth Moser.
2nd row—Hubert Basinger, Allison Neuenschwander, Anna McGinnis, Phyllis Marquart, Mary Jane Garmatter, Mary Louise Dean, Robert Klingler, Billy Phillips.
3rd row—Richard Minck, Donavin Augsburger, Robert Lee, Marion Criblez, Harold Hartman, Carl Brown, Paul Steiner.
4th row—Margaret Burkholder, Phyllis Hardwick, Margaret Diller, Margaret Groman, Frieda Martin, Louise Soldner.

After running through the halls for about a week in a rather dazed fashion, the embryonic seventh graders soon became adjusted to the routine of the high school. In a short time many of the rough edges were smoothed off and now at the end of the school year they are ready to go ahead to bigger things.

A number of the girls are active in the camp fire organization and several of the boys are prominent in boy scout work. Several of the boys made the junior high school basketball team and if early performance should be an indication they should bolster up Bluffton High school athletics in the years to come.

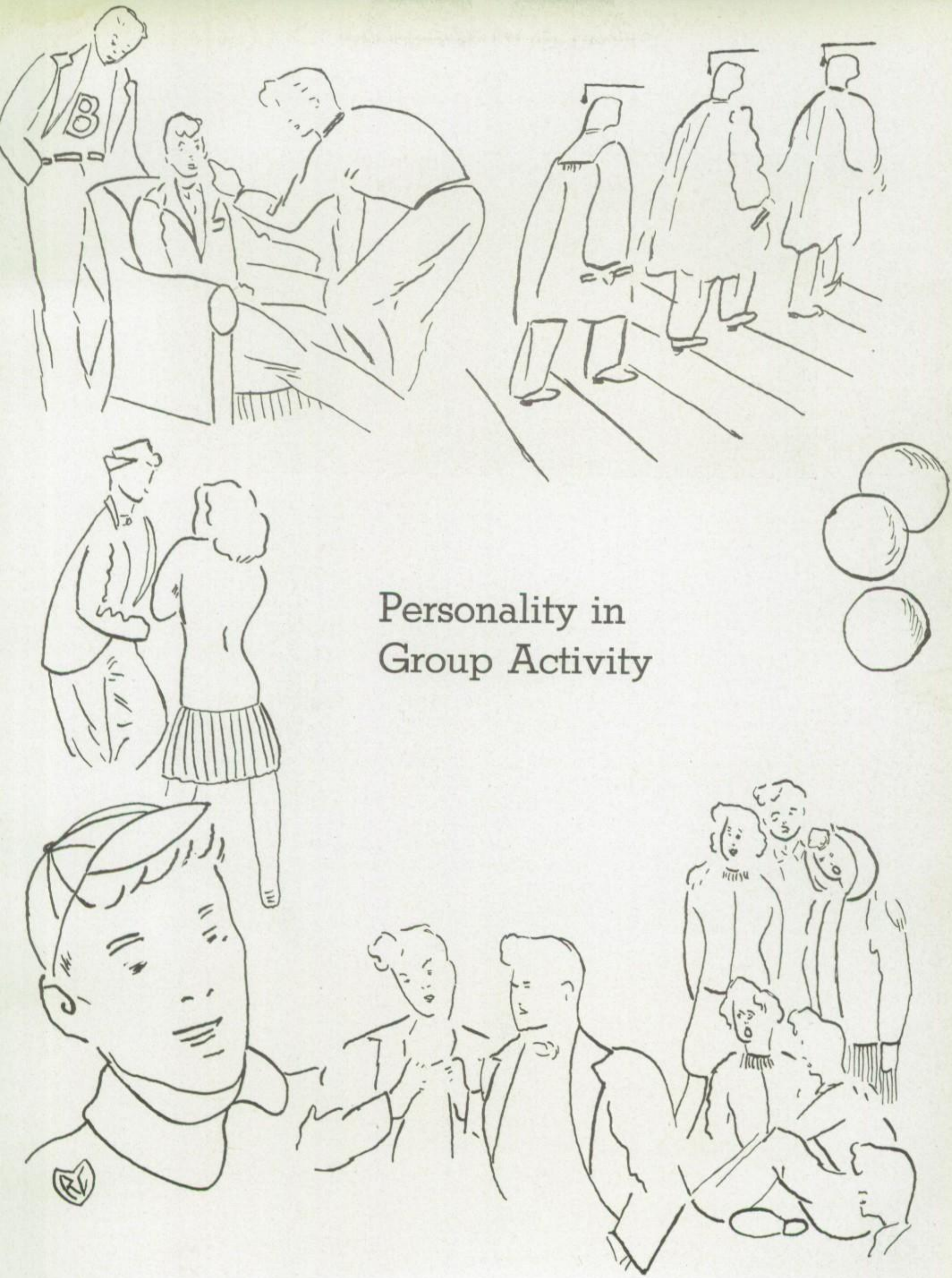
Several parties were enjoyed throughout the year and the class is always known to have a good time at school social events. The class is already known as a lively group and the school can be assured that at least for some years to come the school will not be lacking in pep.

1st row—Harry Burkholder, Irene Marquart, Ferol Althaus, Doris Jean Badertscher, Lois Harris, James Harmon.
2nd row—Roderick Nonnamaker, Robert Ramseyer, Charles Stonehill, Richard Newlan, Charles Swank, Harvey Moser, Jr., David Stearns.
3rd row—John Lugibihl, Ruth Hartman, Patricia Huber, Lois Albro, Dorothy Lugibihl, David Frick.
4th row—Harry Klay, Arthur Hilty, Gust Basinger Jr., Karl Basinger, Elmer Stonehill.
Not pictured—Ray Follas.

Sec.-Treas.....Billy Phillips

Advisor.....Mr. Amstutz

GRAPHIC ARTS



Personality in Group Activity

Personality Thrives Through Student Senate

Standing—Charlotte Santschi, Buccaneer; James Stonehill, 10th grade; Harlan Swank, 12th grade; Robert Cooney, 11th grade; James Reichenbach, F.F.A.; Bill Amstutz, Patrol; Dorothy Greding, Music.

Sitting—Doris Garmatter, F.H.A.; Marilynn Hofer, G.A.A., Cutlass; John Stettler, Hi-Y; Betty Steinman, G. R.; Glenna Swick, Jr. High.

Have you ever thought of our school as a democracy within a democracy? This is especially exemplified by the Student Senate.

The students choose the leaders of their classes and organizations, these leaders then represent the students in the Student Senate when any problems or ideas can be discussed.

This year the Senate decided to print a little handbook to be given to the students at the end of the year. Included in the book will be the class schedules, subjects taught and a description of extra-curricular activities. This handbook will serve as a souvenir to the seniors and will also be an aid to undergraduates.

The home-room programs were also planned in the Student Senate. Programs were made out for each class, with the aid of advisors and students, which would be interesting to that particular grade.

The Senate is run by parliamentary procedure and provides excellent training for its members. It still remains one of the most important functions of the school system.

President	John Stettler
Vice President	Betty Steinman
Sec'y-Treas.	Marilynn Hofer
Advisor	Mr. Buhler

Buccaneer is Student Planned and Produced

After a late beginning this year, the staff was finally chosen and the Editor-in-Chief, Charlotte Santschi, really started us working. Getting a theme, taking pictures, getting the advertisements and everything else, kept everybody busy. The assistant editors, Marjorie Buckland and Helen Soldner obeyed the orders (or else) and did a fine job of helping her.

Maurice Fett was the business manager and did a very nice job of keeping the books balanced and getting advertisements for the book. His helpers were Harlan Swank and George Myers.

The snaps in this book were taken by Harold and Ray. Getting them pasted together was Wanda Diller's job. The division pages were made by Ruth Core and the jokes were furnished by Billie Bechtel. The advisors were Mr. Orden Smucker and Mr. A. L. Daymon.

"Credit is given where credit is due", so the staff receives credit on the "Growing Personalities of the 1941 Buccaneer."

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF	Charlotte Santschi
Assistant Editors	Helen Soldner, Marjorie Buckland
BUSINESS MANAGER	Maurice Fett
Assistant Business Managers	Harlan Swank, George Myers
Snap Editors	Harold Augsburger, Ray Niswander

BUCCANEER STAFF:—
Standing—Harold Augsburger, Ray Niswander, Harlan Swank, Maurice Fett, George Myers.
Sitting—Marjorie Buckland, Charlotte Santschi, Helen Soldner.

Students Report and Edit School Newspaper

CUTLASS STAFF:—
Standing—Richard Berky, Norman Lugibihl, Barbara Jean Triplett, Bette Murray, Florence Ann Hofer, Norman Beidler, Bill Amstutz, Neil Neuenschwander, Eloise Sommer, Mae Huber, Carol Bame, Maynard Badertscher, Kenneth Oberly.
Sitting—Margery Niswander, Harriet Blome, Marilynn Hofer, Carolyn Stonehill, Mary Stearns.

THE CUTLASS

Practical experience in journalism and general editorial work are provided by the Cutlass—bi-monthly student newspaper.

Bluffton High School is one of the very few Class B schools in Ohio having a regular news printed paper. Most schools of corresponding size are using mimeographing or the multi-graph processes for the production of the school paper.

All news stories are written according to correct journalistic construction. Frequent staff meetings are held in which journalism is discussed as applied to the Cutlass. Good lead paragraphs with correct sequence of events are always insisted on by the advisor, Mr. Orden Smucker.

Members of the editorial staff are as follows: Editor, Marilynn Hofer; Associate editor, Harriet Blome; heads writer, Carolyn Stonehill; Assistant editors, Bill Amstutz, Mary Stearns, Carol Bame, and Margery Niswander.

Standing—George Myers, Raymond Schumacher, Rosann Hilty, Doris Dunifon, Eileen Wenger, Harold Santschi, Otto Klassen, David Tosh, Donald Root, Darlene Truex, Rebecca Hofstetter, Alice Santschi, Clayton Weiss, James Reichenbach.
Sitting—Harold Augsburger, Betty Steinman, Mary Margaret Basinger.

Senior Honor Society

Sitting—Kenneth Oberly, Lois Schaeublin, Carol Bame.
Standing—Harriet Blome, Neil Neuenschwander, Norman Beidler, John Stetler, Betty Steinman, Charlotte Santschi.

Requirements for entry into the National Honor Societies are based upon, scholarship, personality and conduct in and out of school.

The aim of the groups this year are: (1) To create an enthusiasm for superior scholarship; (2) To stimulate a desire to serve faithfully one's school and community; (3) To promote trustworthy leadership and loyal pupil citizenship and; (4) To develop exemplary qualities of character in the pupils of American schools of junior high school level.

SENIOR

Pres.....Lois Schaeublin
V. Pres.....Kenneth Oberly
Sec.-Treas.....Carol Bame
Advisor.....Mr. Buhler

JUNIOR

Pres.....Darlene Truex
V. Pres.....Roberta Wenger
Sec.-Treas....Barbara Triplett

Junior Honor Society

Sitting—Beverly Biery, Barbara Triplett, Darlene Truex, Mary M. Basinger, Dorothy Anderson.
Standing—Otto Klassen, Alinc Hilty, Lois Oyer, Alice Augsburger, Raymond Schumacher, Jean Ann Steinman, Glenna Swick, Roberta Wenger, Earl Dean Luginbuhl.

Christian Service Aim of Girl Reserves

1st row—Betty Bracy, Dorothy Gerding, Carol Bame, Mary Stearns, Marcene Stonehill, Betty Steinman, Eileen Wenger, Charlotte Santschi, Harriet Blome, Wanda Diller.

2nd row—Wilma Steiner, Barbara Triplett, Mary Jane Worthington, Ruth Hankish, Dorothy Jennings, Alice Oyer, Rosann Hilty, Mary Ellen Luginbuhl, Marjorie Reams, Margery Niswander, Roberta Wenger.

3rd row—Darlene Truex, Madlyn Isham, Lois Schaeublin, Georgia Fisher, Marjorie Buckland, Marjorie Stratton, Carolyn Stonehill, Harriet Burkholder, Geneva Hankish, Bette Murray, Helen Soldner, Hildred Eversole.

4th row—Doris Dunlon, Glenna Kohler, Dorothy Anderson, Wava Stotts, Florence Ann Hofer, Grace Miller, Doris Garmatter, Eleanor Thiessen, Treva Harris, Betty Holtkamp, Ruth Schumacher, Rebecca Hofstetter.

DEVELOP WHOLESOME PERSONALITIES

The Girl Reserves are a part of the National Young Women's Christian Association whose purpose is as follows: "To build a fellowship of women and girls devoted to the task of realizing in our common life those ideals of personal and social living to which we are committed as Christians."

The regular meetings are held every two weeks in the club room.

The year began with a backwards party to welcome new members into our club. This was followed by the Recognition Service which was in the form of a play "A Garden of Friendship". Other regular meetings were devoted to music, personality, tips to the ideal high school girl, and various other subjects of interest to Girl Reserves.

Other events of the year were a skating party for the Girl Reserves and the Hi-Y held at Delphos, a taffy pull, a father-daughter potluck, a church service, and a mother-daughter banquet. The Girl Reserves and Hi-Y presented the Thanksgiving assembly program and they also collected apples, potatoes and pennies for the hospital. At Christmas the two organizations sang carols and took baskets to the shut-ins.

We have had a very successful year under the leadership of the following officers:

President	Betty Steinman
Vice President	Marcene Stonehill
Secretary	Eileen Wenger
Program Chairman	Charlotte Santschi
Advisor	Miss Boss

Hi-Y Promotes Allround Personality Development

MAINTAINS HIGH STANDARDS

The purpose of the Hi-Y club this year is very aptly expressed by the national slogan used by Hi-Y clubs all over the country—"To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character."

This year's club, though not as large as some formerly, has been very active during the year. In cooperation with the G. R. they collected potatoes, apples, and pennies for the Bluffton Hospital. They also sponsored a moving picture at the local theater to raise money for their yearly project. This project was to buy new curtains for the auditorium stage and was greatly appreciated by the whole school. For their programs during the year the club saw moving pictures on the navy, heard several interesting speakers and had three potluck suppers.

Last summer John Stettler and Harlan Swank attended Camp Nelson-Dodd. There they learned the principles of leadership and acquired much material for the programs of the local Hi-Y meetings. The Bluffton club is now helping to buy a refrigerator for use in camp.

Early in the winter John Stettler, Dale Grismore and Bill Amstutz, accompanied by Mr. Buhler, attended the yearly Hi-Y Congress which was held at Dayton. This was a meeting to which Hi-Y clubs from all over the state sent representatives. The meeting was conducted on much the same order as the National Congress and was very beneficial to all who attended.

The officers of the club for the past year were:

President	John Stettler
Vice President	Norman Beidler
Secretary-Treasurer	Ray Niswander
Faculty Advisor	Mr. Buhler
Y.M.C.A. Advisor	Duane Tway

1st row—Harlan Swank, Ray Niswander, John Stettler, Norman Beidler.
2nd row—Robert Young, Albert Ingalls, James Fett, Maurice Fett, Bill Amstutz, Neil Neuenschwander, Gerald Augsburger, Raymond Schumacher, James Stonehill.
3rd row—George Myers, Richard Balmer, Harold Augsburger, Harold Santschi, Harry Turner, Dale Grismore, Richard Berky, Lysle Niswander, Robert Cooney.
4th row—Russell Gratz, Roger Howe, Carroll Tschiegg, Ned Schultz, Herbert Conrad, Wesley Sommers, James Steiner, Maynard Badertscher, James Gratz.

Blue Triangle Has Large Membership

1st row—Lois Oyer, Jane Howe, Alice Jean Bixel.
2nd row—Mary Louise Dean, Miriam Stettler, Janice Hankish, Doris Barber, Eileen Weinhold, Jean Ann Steinman, Juanita Bame, Florence Blome, Anna McGinnis, Lois Harris.
3rd row—Louise Soldner, Nadine Allman, Julee Garmatter, Mary Lou Schmidt, Mary Habegger, Mary Basinger, Joyce Nonnamaker, Frieda Martin, Phyllis Hardwick, Marjorie Clark.
4th row—Margaret Griffith, Sara Amstutz, Genevieve Buhler, Margaret Diller, Janet Steiner, Alice Santschi, Beverly Biery, Anna Louise Hochstettler, Helen Greding.

PROMOTE LOYALTY TO IDEALS

Organized in the fall of 1938, the Blue Triangle has proven to be a very worth-while club for the Junior High School girls who have joined.

The Blue Triangle is a branch of the Young Women's Christian Association and because of this affiliation several girls from the Y. W. C. A. of Bluffton College have been in charge of the group this year.

The purpose of the organization is to create a closer friendship among the younger girls.

The group ordinarily meets every two weeks. The programs, which are planned by the program committee and Miss Duffield, our advisor, are of different types.

Three of the meetings consisted of talks and a visit to Musselman library and Ropp Hall to illustrate the three sides of the triangle: body, mind, and soul.

Several parties were enjoyed by the girls on different occasions such as Thanksgiving and Christmas.

President	Jane Howe
Vice President	Alice Jean Bixel
Secretary-Treasurer	Lois Oyer
Program Chairman	Mary Margaret Basinger

Interested in Laboratory Experimentation

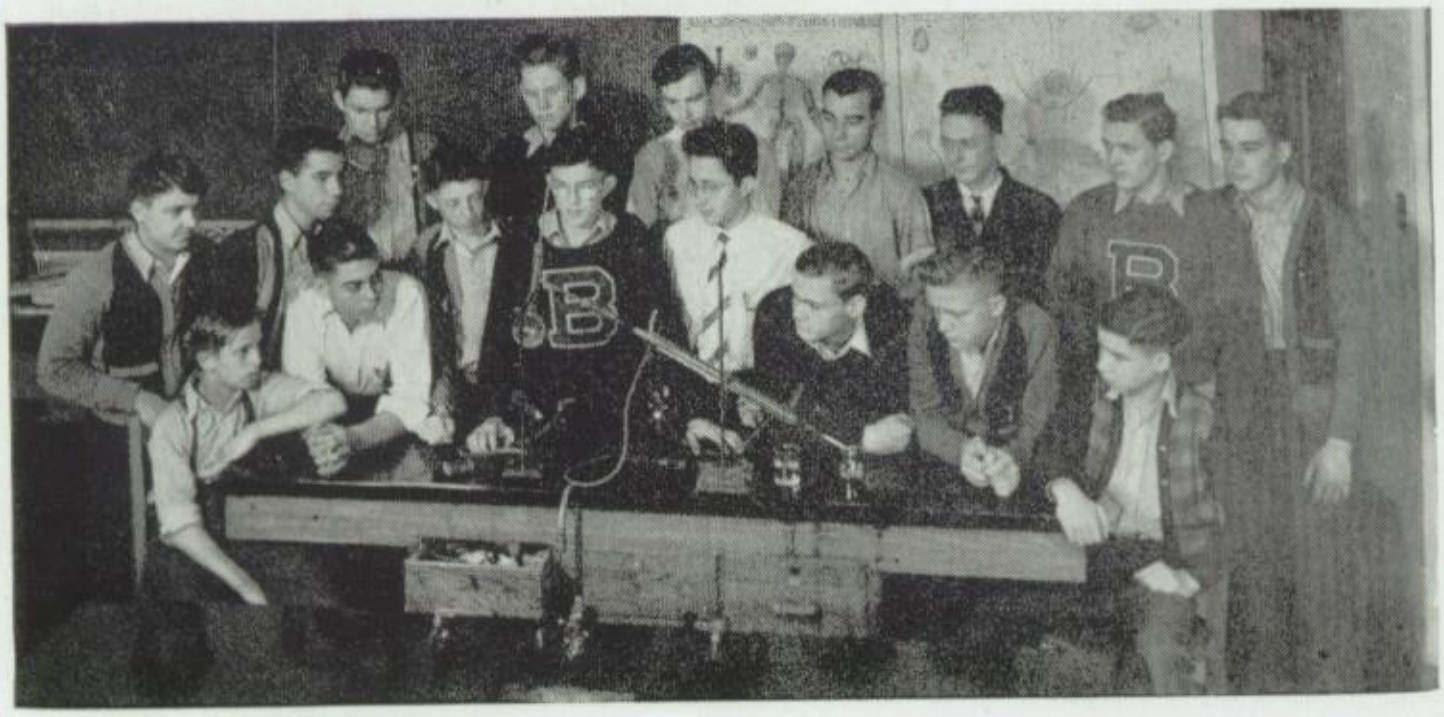
SCIENCE CLUB

For the past few years an organization, known as the Science Club, has existed in Bluffton High School which has proved very helpful. The purpose of the club is to stimulate scientific experimentation and investigation outside of class.

The activities include: Lectures, scientific experimentation and trips of scientific interest, such as observing a factory while in operation.

President ..... Wilhelm Amstutz, II
Vice President ..... James Deppler
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Robert Young

Ned Schultz, Robert Albro, Merlin Zuercher, Kenneth Oberly, Kenneth Geiger, John Stettler, Norman Beidler, Herbert Siefield, Robert Oberly, James Amstutz, Richard Berky, Neil Neuenschwander, Robert Young, James Deppler, Bill Amstutz, John Schmidt, Richard Oberly.



FHA Has a Practical Program

Sitting—Dorothy Burkholder, Veldean Moser, Doris Garmatter, Treva Harris, Lois Schaeublin, Mae Huber.

Standing—Helen Burkholder, Freda Fritchie, Marjorie Moser, Edna Huber, Colleen Augsburger, Jeanette Burkholder, Eileen Moser, Joan Buckland, Virginia Miller, Margaret Shumaker, Levon Wilch, Joyce Young, Mary Gene Siefield, Ellen Basinger, Vera Smithley.

FHA

Striving for the goal as set up in the State Award of Merit, the F.H.A. has had a most profitable year.

The program for the year included various activities. Most of the social affairs were held jointly with the F.F.A. Some of these were: a Hickory nut hunt followed by a wiener roast at Rayl's quarry, a Christmas party and gift exchange at the home of Veldean Moser, a banquet carrying out the Spanish theme, and a skating party at Findlay with the surrounding clubs.

In addition to these joint activities, the girls enjoyed some interesting meetings. A movie and talk were given on Cuba and Florida by Miss Eddyth Cupp, advisor. In the early part of April the officers of next year's club attended the State Home Economics Convention held at Columbus. A style show, playlets, and many other events made up the many programs which were enjoyed during the year.

Service projects for the year included: Dishes for the Home Economics Department and Red Cross.

One week of camping will be the reward of each of the members who have been working hard this year.

President	Doris Garmatter
Vice President	Veldean Moser
Secretary	Treva Harris
Treasurer	Lois Schaeublin
Reporter	Mae Huber
Historian	Dorothy Burkholder

FFA Develops Rural Leadership

That students learn best by doing is illustrated in a very definite way by the activities of the Bluffton chapter of the Future Farmers of America. The many projects undertaken by the club give the members much valuable experience not only in agricultural information but in cooperative activity.

The high standards and idealism of the organization is further manifested in the club motto: Learning to do; Doing to learn; Earning to live; Living to serve.

The stated objectives of the organization are:

1. To develop rural and agricultural leadership.
2. To strengthen the confidence of farm boys in their work.
3. To develop character.
4. To participate in cooperative effort.
5. To encourage and practice thrift.
6. To encourage improvement in scholarship.

The local chapter has placed high in judging contests, corn husking and parliamentary procedures contests. In order to become a member every boy must have at least one agricultural project.

This live organization has served the school and community in a most beneficial manner and continues to demonstrate that cooperative activity on a high level can be experienced by a group of high school boys as well as on the adult level.

President	James Reichenbach
Vice President	Evan Steiner
Secretary	James Stratton
Treasurer	Charles Lora
Reporter	Norman Lugibihl

1st row—James Stratton, Charles Lora, James Reichenbach, Evan Steiner, Norman Lugibihl.
2nd row—Clyde Sommer, Evan Burkholder, Dale Huber, Sylvan Burkholder, Wayne Badertscher, Kenneth Winkler, Gaylord Parker, Robert Stratton, Gerald Ewing, Robert Amstutz.
3rd row—Weldon Burkholder, Weldon Deppeler, John Dunbar, Richard Gratz, Wesley Sommers, Clyde Klingler, Wilmer Lehman, Kenneth Reichenbach, Edgar Huber, Ellis Hauenstein.

Orchestra Displays Finished Technique

Violins—Neil Neuenschwander, Mary Stearns, Lois Oyer, Ralph Balmer, Hildred Eversole, Dick Berky, Doris Dunifon, Dorothy Jennings, Sara Amstutz, Alice Jean Bixel, Wanda Diller, Esther Schumacher, Genevieve Buhler, Dorothy Burkholder, Joan Buckland, Wayne Badertscher, Janice Hankish, Florence Ann Blome; Viola—Helen Soldner, Harriet Blome, Jane Howe, Mary Ellen Luginbuhl; Cello—Betty Steinman, Dorothy Greding, Alice Oyer, Mary Margaret Basinger, Earl Dean Luginbuhl; Bass—Charlotte Santschi, Dale Grismore, Kenneth Winkler; Flute—Ray Schumacher, Geneva Hankish, Beverly Biery, Harriet Burkholder; Oboe—Margery Niswander, Calvin Dudgeon; Clarinet—James Stratton, Robert Amstutz, Harold Augsburger; Cornet—Gerald Augsburger, Merlin Zuercher, Darlene Truex; Drums—Carroll Tschiegg, Barbara Triplett, LeRoy Lugibihl; Trombone—David Tosh, Richard Klay, Director—Mr. Hauenstein.

PERFORMS WITH PRECISION

It is a well established tradition that the Bluffton High School Orchestra always gives evidence of superior musical accomplishment. Our splendid director, Prof. Sidney Hauenstein, prepares many years ahead working with individual players in order to give proper musical background for later maturity.

Only by the use of these methods can proper symphonic balance be obtained. Bluffton always has been noted for well balanced orchestras having even the more unusual orchestrial units. Bluffton, therefore, always is able to compete above its normal classification.

Normally the school would compete in Class C competition but chooses to meet orchestras from much bigger high schools in Class B competition. Even in this stiffer competition Bluffton has always performed in a most creditable manner. Many times first place has been won in the various contests in which we compete.

Aside from all of these points mentioned should be made of the personal benefits one receives from playing in unison with the rest of the orchestra. All in all it is a very beneficial activity to both the individual and the community.

President	Dorothy Greding
Secretary-Treasurer	Gerald Augsburger
Director	Mr. Hauenstein

Band Provides Spirit and Dash For Games

PURVEYORS OF PEPPY TUNES

Bluffton High School boasts of a band that is marked not only by zip and dash but also by excellent musicianship. The band is trained to play peppy marches and to march with military precision. Their marching formations at the football games have been an occasion for much favorable comment.

Not only have they performed at football games but also at school pep meetings, political rallies and various entertainments in the community. Thus this organization has very capably served both the school and the community.

It has often been said that if you teach a boy to blow a horn he will never blow a safe. While this is just a saying, it nevertheless is true that playing in a band provides a very healthy outlet for youthful energies.

Band players invariably report the thrilling experience of playing rhythmic melodies in the captivating harmonic arrangements available for bands. It is an experience long to be enjoyed.

President ..... David Tosh
Secretary ..... James Stratton
Director ..... Mr. Hauenstein

Clarinet—James Stratton, Harold Augsburger, Robert Amstutz, Margaret Burkholder, Marjean Todd, Ruth Hankish, Richard Gratz, Ralph Althaus, Helen Greding, Varden Loganbill, Hugh Chamberlain, Ronald Zimmerly, David Dean; Oboe—Margery Niswander, Barbara Triplett, Calvin Dudgeon; Saxophone—Doris Dunifon; Flute—Geneva Hankish, Ray Schumacher, Harriet Burkholder, Beverly Biery; Cornet—Gerald Augsburger, Merlin Zuercher, Darlene Truex, Kenneth Geiger, Dean Niswander, Dorothy Anderson; Trombone—David Tosh, Richard Klay, Charles Triplehorn, Robert Gratz, Gordon Bixel; Baritone—James Fett; French Horn—Floyd Herr, Eloise Sommer, Evan Herr, Clyde Sommer; Tuba—Neil Neuenschwander, Robert Oberly; Drums—Carroll Tschiegg, Ralph Balmer, LeRoy Lugibihl.

A Capella Blends Voices in Harmonies

Soprano—Dorothy Burkholder, Lois Oyer, Helen Greding, Alice Oyer, Dorothy Anderson, Barbara Triplett, Wilma Steiner, Mary E. Stearns, Marcene Stonehill, Ruth Hankish, Virginia Geiger, Harriet Burkholder, Marjean Todd, Mary Jane Worthington, Wanda Diller, Dorothy Greding, Doris Garmatter; Tenor—Robert Amstutz, Robert Burkholder, Maurice Kohli, Earl Dean Luginbuhl, Norman Sumney, Lysle Niswander, LeRoy Lugibihl, Richard Gratz, Norman Beidler, James Reichenbach, James Gratz, Robert Cooney, Dale Grismore; Alto—Freda Fritchie, Jane Howe, Alice Santschi, Beverly Biery, Mary Ellen Luginbuhl, Dorothy Jennings, Ada Lehman, Betty Holtkamp, Margery Niswander, Eloise Sommer, Hildred Eversole, Carol Bame, Betty Steinman, Helen Soldner, Marjorie Stratton; Bass—Varden Loganbill, Kenneth Reichenbach, Raymond Schumacher, Floyd Herr, Ralph Balmer, Robert Oberly, Bill Amstutz, Roger Howe, David Tosh, James Fett, Gerald Augsburger, Harold Augsburger, Robert Albro, Neil Neuenschwander.

This has been one of the busiest years in the history of B. H. S. for the A Capella. Under Miss Elizabeth Higley's splendid leadership the choir gave several good programs.

Newly purchased maroon robes gave the A Capella a distinguished appearance when they participated in various musical programs.

A Christmas cantata was the first big event for the club this year. The most outstanding feature of the year was the presentation of Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta "Pinafore".

In the spring the A Capella presented a concert. Later both the Girls Glee Club and the Boys Glee Club competed in contests. Several ensembles and individuals of the choir took part in contests. Those competing and their divisions are as follows: Soprano solo, Alice Oyer; mezzo-soprano, solo, Betty Holtkamp; tenor solo, James Gratz; baritone solo, Roger Howe; bass solo, Bill Amstutz; boys quartet, LeRoy Lugibihl, Norman Beidler, Bill Amstutz, Roger Howe.

Girls ensemble, Marcene Stonehill, Ruth Hankish, Betty Holtkamp, Marjean Todd, Mary Stearns, Hildred Eversole; mixed ensemble, Dorothy Anderson, Alice Oyer, Betty Steinman, Helen Soldner, James Gratz, Robert Cooney, Harold Augsburger, Gerald Augsburger.

Clarinet solo, Robert Amstutz; violin solo, Neil Neuenschwander; cello solo, Betty Steinman; marimba-xylophone solo, Barbara Triplett; flute quartet, Ray Schumacher, Harriet Burkholder, Geneva Hankish, Beverly Biery; string quartet, Neil Neuenschwander, Mary Margaret Basinger, Jane Howe and Alice Jean Bixel. Mary Margaret Basinger and Jean Ann Steinman served as pianists.

President	Harold Augsburger
Vice President	Helen Soldner
Secretary-Treasurer	Norman Beidler
Director	Miss Higley

Musicians Perform Gilbert and Sullivan Opperetta

H.M.S. PINAFORE—CAST OF CHARACTERS

Boatswain ..... Norman Beidler
Buttercup ..... Carol Bame—Betty Holtkamp
Dick Deadeye ..... Wilhelm Amstutz II
Ralph Rackstraw ..... James Gratz
Captain Corcoran ..... Roger Howe
Josephine ..... Alice Oyer—Marcene Stonehill
Sir Joseph Porter, First Lord of the Admirality ..... Robert Cooney
Cousin Hebe ..... Betty Steinman—Mary E. Stearns
Boatswain's Mate ..... Harold Augsburger
Sailors ..... Boys Glee Club
First Lord's Sisters, Cousins, Aunts ..... Girls Glee Club

Scene: Quarter deck of H.M.S. Pinafore off Portsmouth

Act I—Noon

Act II—Night

Business Managers ..... Dale Grismore—James Fett
Stage Manager ..... Helen Soldner
And Chorus

BUS DRIVERS

Walter Sommer, Chris Gratz, Jerome Herr, Aaron Messinger, Francis Basinger.

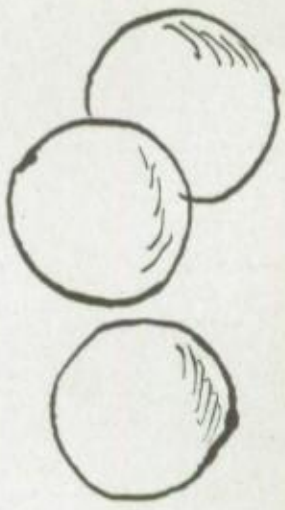
COOK

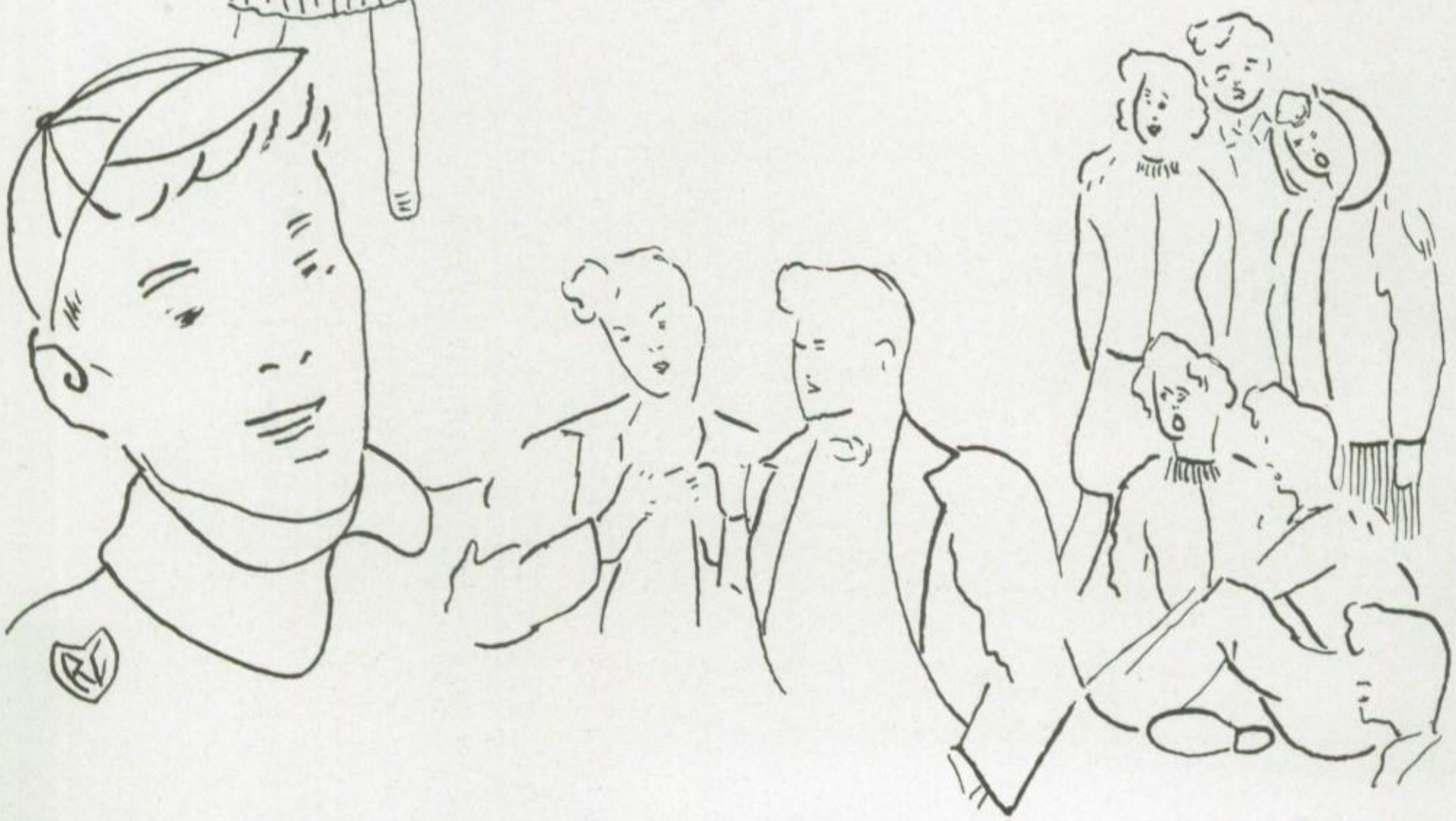
Mrs. J. W. Eversole

JANITORS

Left to right—Harry Tripplehorn, Albert Benroth, Charles Fenton.

Personality in Sports





These Sturdy Pirate Warriors Copped

First row—Albert Ingalls, James Stonehill, James Clark, Robert Young.

Second row—Harold Santschi, Roger Howe, Robert Watkins, John Stettler, James Martin, Robert Cooney, Clyde Fisher, Eugene Newlan, Peter Schmidt, Richard Augsburger, James Deppler, Clayton Weiss.

Third row—Mr. Geiger, Maurice Fett, Richard Balmer, John Herrmann, Russell Gratz, Wesley Sommers, James Herrmann, James Stratton, James Gratz, Richard Klay, Byron Fritchie, Harold Crouse, Mr. Stettler.

Fourth row—Lysle Niswander, Paul Klassen, Kenneth Hartman, James Reichenbach, Wilmer Lehman, Coach Diller, Fred Herrmann, Wayne Dailey, Kenneth Oberly, Bill Mericle, Robert Burkholder, Roger Klay.

The Record for 1940

Sept. 13	Columbus Grove	18- 0	Nov. 18	St. Marys	32- 7
Sept. 20	Lima Central	6-14	Nov. 25	Wapakoneta	32-12
Sept. 27	Ada	25-12	Nov. 31	Bellefontaine	6- 0
Oct. 4	Van Wert	12-12	Dec. 15	Pandora	19- 0
Oct. 11	Celina	19-13			

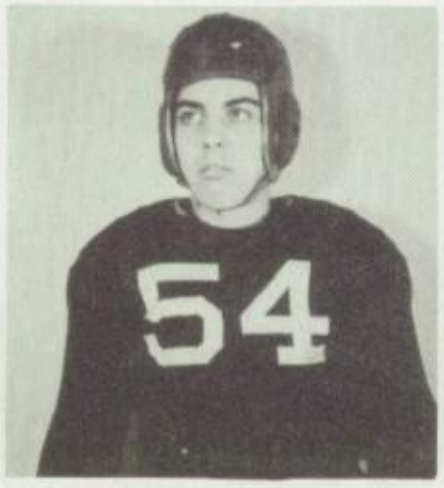
The Pirates had an experienced team and worked together as a team should. The turning point of the season was the Bluffton-Bellefontaine game. Bellefontaine was undefeated, unscored upon, and untied. The Pirates defeated Bellefontaine 6-0, scoring their lone touchdown in the second quarter. The touchdown was scored on a pass.

Robert Watkins, senior, and halfback, was nominated Honorary Captain for the season.

The Gridiron Championship of the League

R. H.—Harold Santschi

L. T.—Eugene Newland



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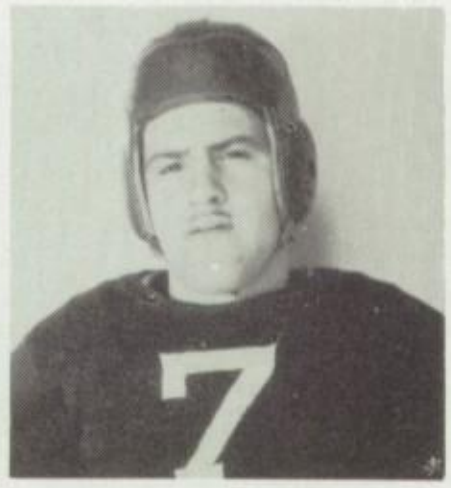

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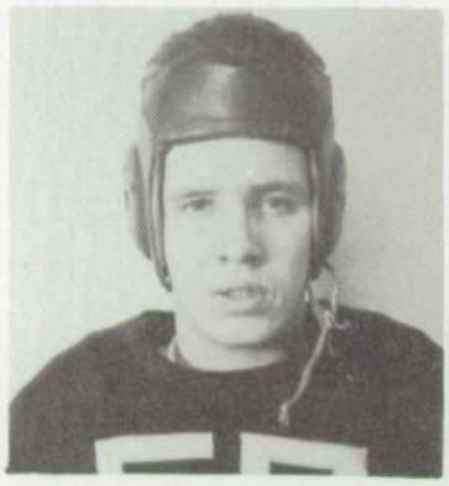


F. B.—Clyde Fisher

R. T.—Richard Augsburger

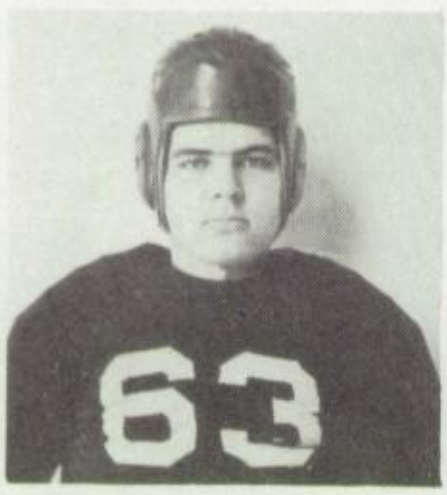
C. —Russell Gratz

R. E.—Peter Schmidt

Q. B.—Roger "Dick" "69" Howe

L. E.—Robert Cooney

C. —Maurice Fett



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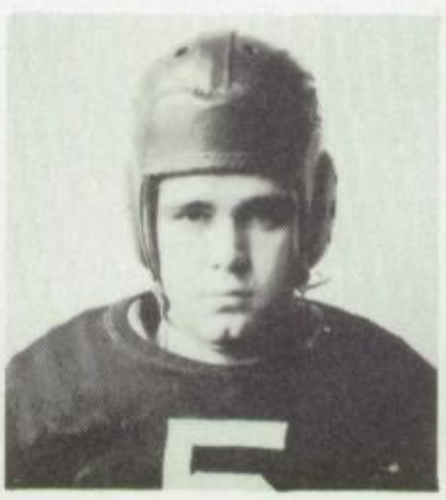


R. G.—James Martin

L. T.—John Stettler

Here Are The Pirate Champions

BASKETBALL

First row—Albert Ingalls, James Clark, James Stonehill, Robert Young.

Sec'd. row—Roger Howe, Norman Beidler, Russell Gratz, Clyde Fisher, Robert Cooney, Coach Diller, Don Clark, John Herrmann, Richard Gratz, Peter Schmidt, Byron Fritchie.

Third row—Mr. Stettler, Paul Klassen, James Gratz, Weldon Deppler, James Herrmann, John Schmidt, Robert Burkholder, Harold Crouse, Mr. Geiger.

How's This for a Season

Nov. 29	Vaughnsville	35-32	Jan. 24	St. Marys	28-24
Dec. 6	Lima South	47-40	Jan. 31	Bellefontaine	31-26
Dec. 7	North Baltimore	63-19	Feb. 7	Ada	40-32
Dec. 14	Harpster	39-29	Feb. 14	Van Wert	43-28
Dec. 20	Ada	49-27	Feb. 15	Carey	44-27
Jan. 7	Columbus Grove	26-23	Feb. 21	Wapakoneta	29-28
Jan. 10	Celina	39-42	Feb. 22	Gallipolis	62-36
Jan. 11	Willshire	34-36	Feb. 28	Upper Sandusky	44-34
Jan. 14	Wapakoneta	46-34			

TOURNAMENT GAMES

Minster	50-49	Delphos Jefferson	55-46
Shawnee	62-27	Cridersville	45-52

The Bluffton Pirates had a very successful season during 1940-41. Playing 17 games in the regular season the Dillermen won 15. They won six straight, then they lost two in a row to Celina and Willshire respectively. The Pirates then won nine straight. On February 21 they defeated the Wapakoneta Blume Red Skins 29-28 to share an honor in "The Western Buckeye League" which ended in a three-way tie between Bluffton, Wapak, and Celina.

The Pirates then went to Shawnee for the sectional tournament. They defeated Minster, Shawnee and Delphos Jefferson. In th finals they were defeated by a strong Cridersville team by a score of 52-45.

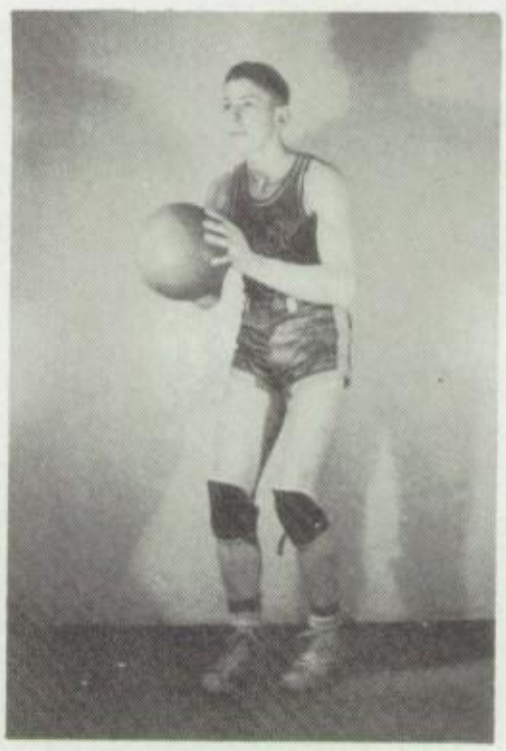
Russell Gratz and Honorary Captain Clyde Fisher were nominated on the all tournament team as forward and guard respectively.

Next year the Pirates will have seven lettermen returning, namely: Russ Gratz, Norman Beidler, Robert Cooney, Roger Howe, John Herrmann, Richard Gratz, and Pete Schmidt.

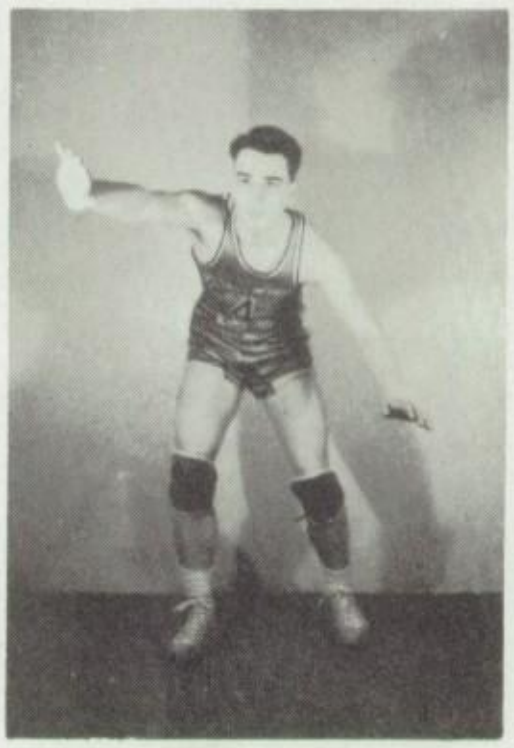
Senior lettermen are Clyde Fisher and Don Clark.

Here Are The Bucket Makers

Guard—Fisher



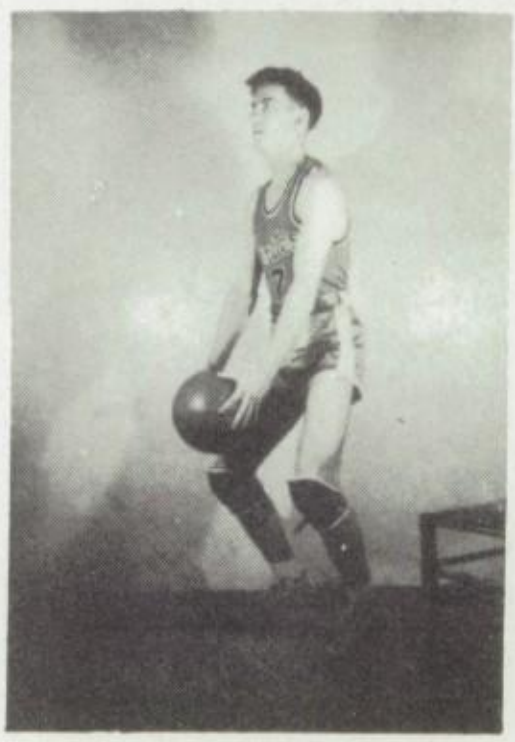
Forward—Rus. Gratz



Forward—Beidler

Guard—Herrmann

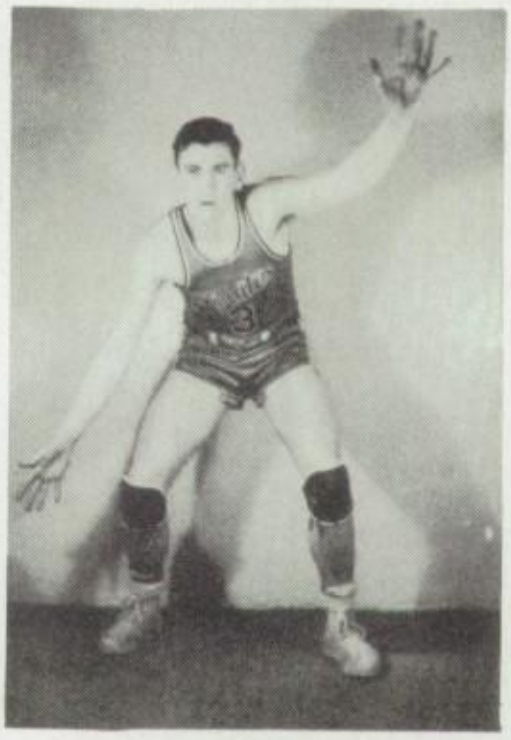
Guard—Howe



Forward—Clark

Forward—Rich. Gratz

Center—Schmidt



Center—Cooney

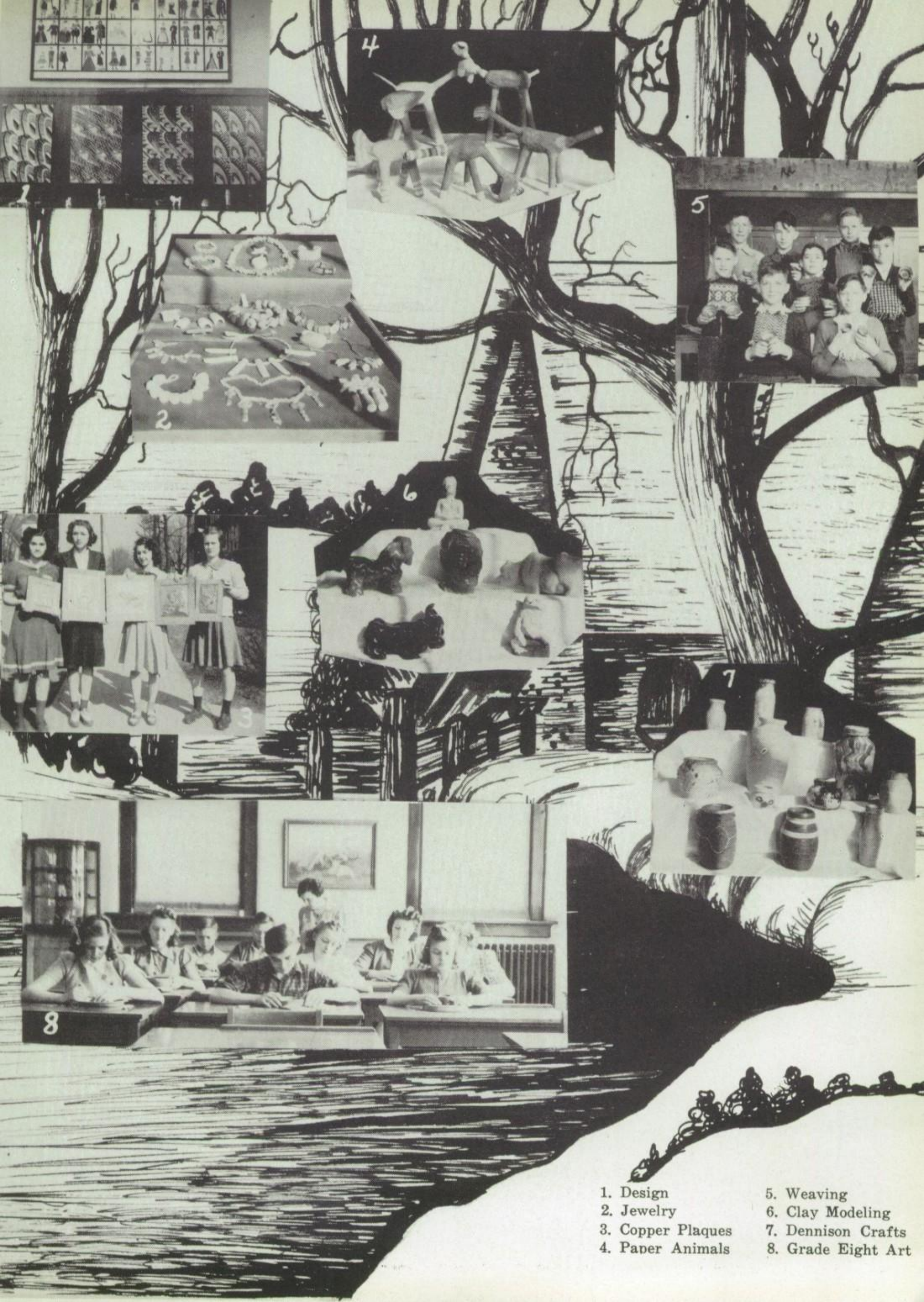
These Girls Develop Personality by Participation

First row—Margaret Griffith, Margaret Burkholder, Helen Soldner, Marilynn Hofer, Doris Dunifon, Mary Jane Worthington, Eileen Wenger, Janice Hankish.

Second row—Joyce Young, Dorothy Burkholder, Freda Fritchie, Ruth Hankish, Carolyn Stonehill, Mary Stearns, Margaret Shumaker, Miriam Schaeublin, Florence Ann Blome, Roberta Wenger.

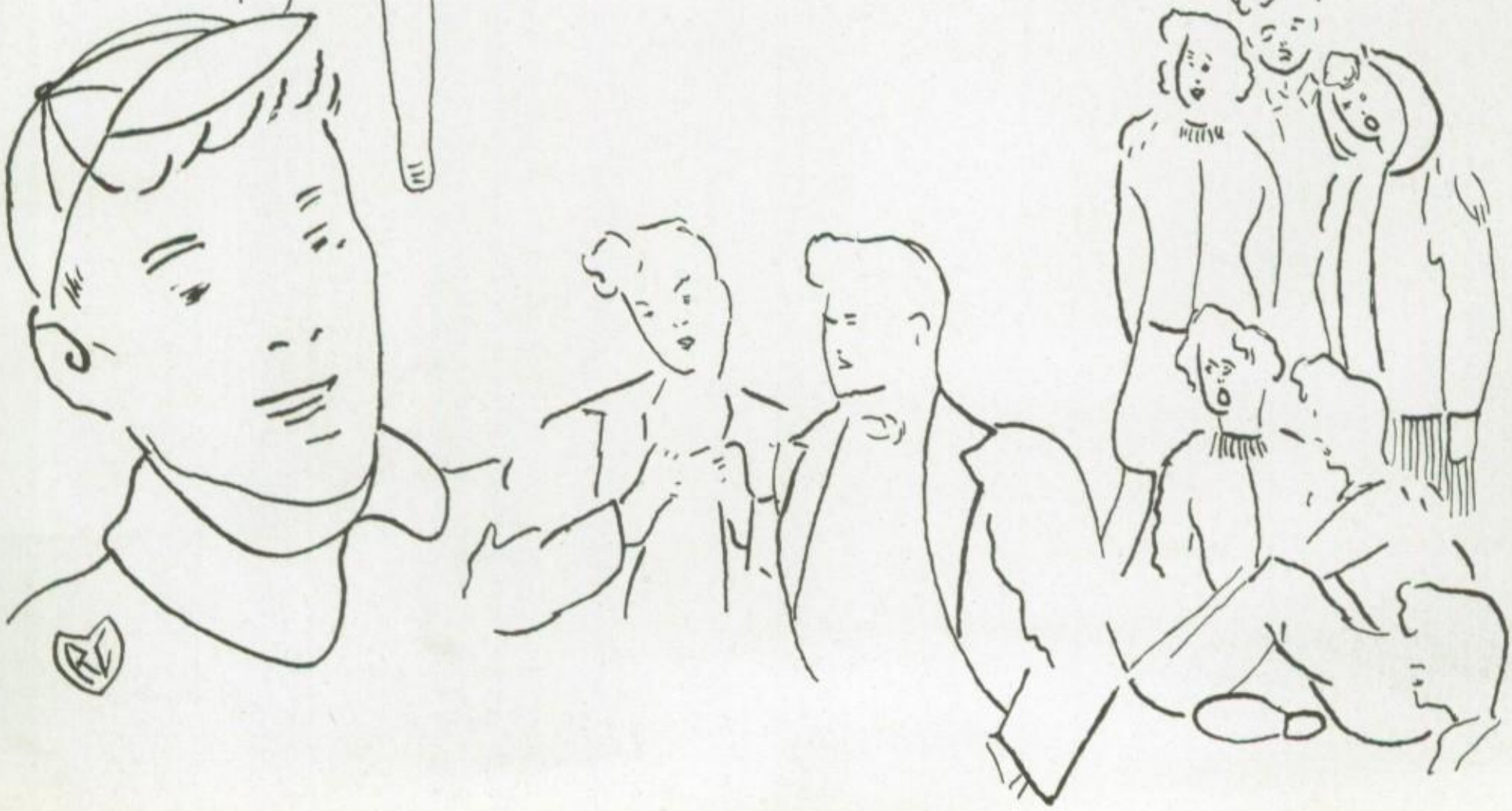
Third row—Joan Buckland, Clare Reagan, Dorothy Anderson, Mary Margaret Basinger, Doris Garmatter, Florence Ann Hofer, Wanda Diller, Lois Oyer, Jane Howe, Darlene Truex.

Peppy Cheer Leaders Add Color



1. Design
2. Jewelry
3. Copper Plaques
4. Paper Animals
5. Weaving
6. Clay Modeling
7. Dennison Crafts
8. Grade Eight Art

Personality by Doing Things

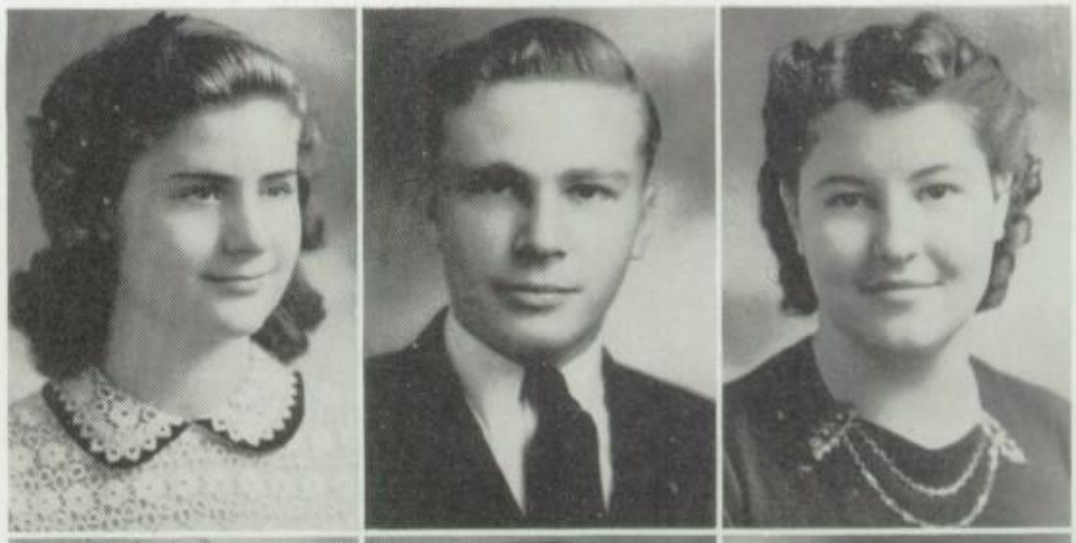


The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come

MISS LUCY BUFORD

MAJOR CALVIN BUFORD

MRS. CAROLINE DEAN



BETSY CHERRY

NATHAN CHERRY

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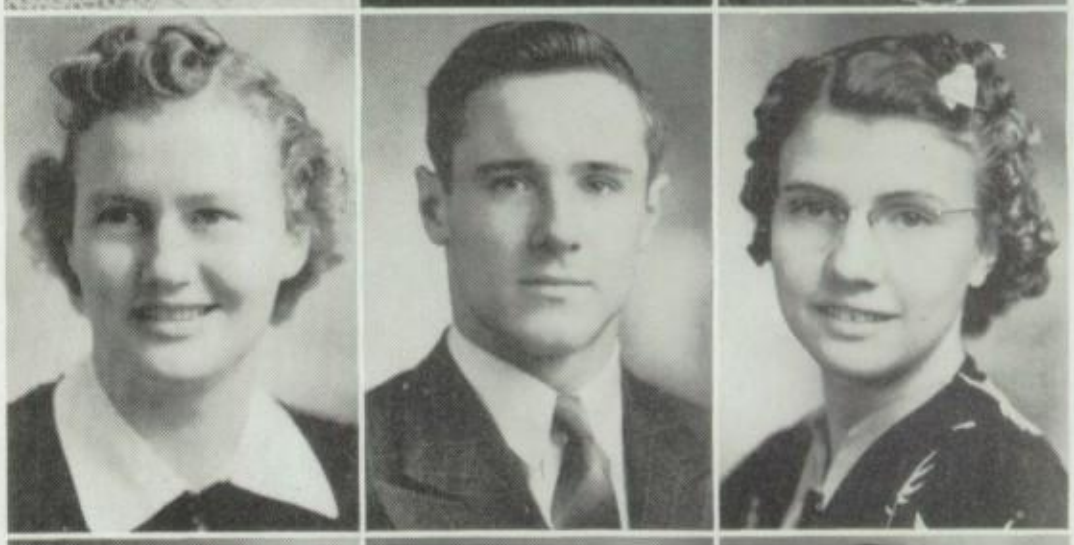


NELLIE HUNT

CHAD

MARGARET DEAN

JENNIE OVERSTREET

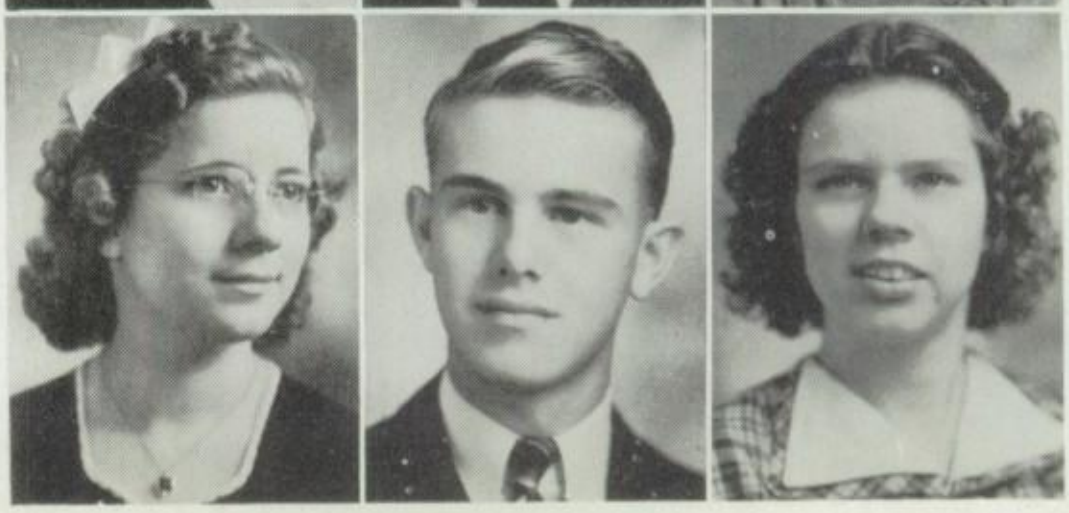
RICHARD HUNT

MISS LUCY BUFORD

MELISSY TURNER

OLD TOM

THANKY



Senior Class Play an Outstanding Success

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Chad, "the little shepherd"	Ray Niswander
Nathan Cherry	Harold Santschi
Betsy Cherry, his daughter	Frieda Vandemark
	Olive De Camp
Melissy Turner	Marjorie Stratton
Major Calvin Buford, from Kentucky	Harlan Swank
Miss Lucy Buford, his sister	Doris Garmatter
	Wanda Diller
Old Tom, their negro servant	Dale Grismore
Thanky, their housemaid	Winifred Fett
Mrs. Caroline Dean, a neighbor	Helen Soldner
Margaret Dean, her daughter	Harriet Blome
Richard Hunt, from the "Blue Grass"	John Stettler
Nellie Hunt, his sister	Bettye Steinman
Jennie Overstreet, a poetess	Carolyn Stonehill

SYNOPSIS

The play centers about the adventures of Chad, a boy orphaned early in life. A cruel hard-fisted mountaineer wanted to keep him in bondage but Chad ran away.

He finally landed with the Turners, a southern family, but became lost one day in logging operations. On the road he was picked up by a Kentucky major who took him into his home.

He fell in love with the daughter of a next door neighbor who would not have him because of his common ways. The society people of the town literally froze him out and he went back to the Kentucky mountains.

Finding out he was really a member of a better family he returned to the city and won the hand of Margaret, his former neighbor.

Opportunity Given For Dramatic Talent

THESPIANS

First row—Ray Niswander, Harriet Blome, George Myers, Helen Soldner.
Second row—Marcene Stonehill, Rosann Hilty, Rebecca Hofstetter, James Fett, Lysle Niswander, Harold Crouse, Virginia Geiger, Eileen Wenger, Ruth Hankish.
Third row—Norman Beidler, Wanda Diller, Harlan Swank, John Stettler, Doris Garmatter, Hildred Eversole, Robert Cooney, Dale Grismore.

FORENSIC

Seated—Darlene Truex, Roberta Wenger, Rosann Hilty, Dorothy Anderson.
Standing—
Wanda Diller, Carolyn Stonehill, George Myers, Betty Steinman, Dorothy Jennings.

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WHO'S WHO

NAME	WE CALL 'EM	INITIALS STAND FOR	YOU'LL NOTICE
Ray Niswander	"Dopey"	Royal Nuisance	Ford
Lois Schaeublin	"Pete"	Late Sleeper	Meter Works
William McCafferty	"Bill"	Windy Mill	Maxine
Marjorie Stratton	"Margie"	Much Strut	CCC
Herbert Siefield	"Herb"	His Shortness	Green Wagon
George Myers	"Speed"	Goes Mighty	Tall Stories
Carolyn Stonehill	"Stony"	Cute Stuff	Oomph
Herbert Reichenbach	"Ricky"	Hardy Roar	Girls
Billie Bechtel	"Foss"	Blonde Beauty	Long Eyelashes
John Stettler	"Johnny"	Just Smart	V-8
Wanda Diller	"Dill"	Winning Declamation	Tulips
Clyde Fisher	"Fish"	Could Flash	Betty
Marilynn Hofer	"Ty"	More Hardy	Pete
James Martin	"Jim"	Just Might	Pipe
Dorothy Burkholder	"Dot"	Do Better	Library
Eugene Newlin	"Bud"	Everlastingly New	Tallness
Ruth Core	"Corky"	Red Color	Dancing
Francis Marquart	"Franny"	Fast Man	Madalyn
Helen Soldner	"Perk"	Happy Smiles	Cafeteria
Robert Watkins	"Bob"	Running Wild	Mt. Cory
Bette Murray	"Betsie"	Be Mine	Jewelry
Harold Santschi	"Santch"	Huge Shoulders	Manly Chest
Marjorie Buckland	"Buckie"	Modern Babe	Giggling
Charles Lora	"Chuck"	Caught Loving	Farming
Dale Grismore	"Gris"	Dear Gene	Talking
Dorothy Greding	"Do Do"	Doing Good	Curls
Maurice Fett	"Sparky"	More Flirting	Filling Station
Harriet Blome	"Blackie"	Hard Blusher	Black Hair
Norman Lugibihl	"Lugie"	No Luck	Quietness
Freida Vandemark	"Fritz"	Fast Voik	Navy
Harry Turner	"Junior"	Holy Terror	Chasing Girls
Doris Garmatter	"Gene"	Darling Girl	F.H.A.
Georgia Fisher	"George"	Getting Flashy	Army
Don Clark	"Ted"	Does Clash	Chevy
Treva Harris	"Blondie"	Trying Hard	Ray
Kenneth Oberly	"Prof"	Kissing Others	Bashfulness
Mae Huber	"Mae"	My Happiness	Sewing
Fairy Bronson	"Harvey"	Flatteringly Beautiful	Lima
Kenneth Hartman	"De Vincy"	Kisses Hard	Car
Winifred Fett	"Wimpy"	Winning Friends	Industriousness
Grace Miller	"Gracie"	Gracious Manners	Office
Clyde Klingler	"Emanuel"	Can Kling	June
Madalyn Isham	"Frank"	My Inspiration	Francis
Gerald Augsburger	"Pete"	Good Ambition	Lima
Harold Augsburger	"Repete"	Heart Aflame	Charlotte
Betty Steinman	"Stein"	Better Satisfaction	Cello
Harlan Swank	"Swankie"	Handsome She-man	Washing Dishes
Betty Bracy	"Bracy"	Babbling Bubble	Talking
Maynard Badertscher	"Bad"	Much Bashfulness	Curly Hair
Charlotte Santschi	"Chotty"	Comely Smile	Harold A.
Olive DeCamp	"Campie"	Others Do	Indiana
Veldean Moser	"Vel"	Vitamin Minded	Cafeteria
Arthur Thiessen	"Art"	Always Thoughtful	College

This a Record of Pleasant Events,

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

3—School opens.
4—Seventh graders mourn as upper classmen trample over them.
5—Seventh graders, joyful, run down everyone.
6—Count of noses reveal 327 students and 22 teachers.
9—Schedules are changed and rechanged—(Still no go).
11—Hi-Y potluck—such big boys too.
12—Found—1 big toad—Biology field trip.
13—Football game with Columbus Grove—We won! ! 18-0.
16—First student senate meeting (secretary at loss).
17—Science club organizes.
18—Party backwards R. G.
19—Junior rings chosen.
20—Football game with Lima Central—We lost 14-7.
23—G.A.A. organizes.
24—Assembly—G. R. and Hi-Y welcome students back to school—How welcome?
25—Rev. Thiessen spoke to Hi-Y.
27—Football game with Ada—We won! ! 25-12.
30—Buccaneer meeting—Our worries began.

OCTOBER

1—Birch, Magician—(We wish we could work his magic).
2—G. R. Recognition Service.
3—No School! ! ! Ottawa Fair.
4—Football game with Van Wert—First league game—Tie—12-12.
7—G.A.A.—Practice, practice, and more practice.
8—Assembly—R. W. Fenton spoke on "Does Crime Pay?" (You tell us!)
10—F. F. A. and F. H. A. wiener roast—A roasting good time.
11—Football game with Celina—We won! 19-13.
16—Grade Cards—Teachers' vengance! G. R. meeting—"What is G. R."
18—St. Marys—We won! 32-7.
21—G. A. A.—Still more practice.
23—Hi-Y, F. H. A., F. F. A., initiation—Were they surprised?
24—Bonfire pep meeting—It shore helped.
25—Wapak game—We won!
28—Assembly—Kilties—"vera" Scotch.
29—Miss Norma Brown spoke on "Can American Democracy Survive?"—Science Club.
30—Eighth grade party—Puppy love at its best!
31—Bellefontaine game—Hurrah! We won—Are league champions!

NOVEMBER—

1—No school! Teachers go to Toledo (What a relief!)
2—Juniors and seniors travel to Columbus to see Ohio State defeat Indiana.
4—Parade for 3 Mill Levy—Students pledge undying support.
5—Election day.
6—Yea Roosevelt!
7—Lost and found article—Could be.
8—Freshman party—American Education Week.
11—Armistice Day program—Att. Harry H. Meridith, Speaker.
12—Science Club (Microbe Hunters).
13—G. R. —Hi-Y.
14—Censored.
15—At last! Pandora game—We sunk the Dutch navy! 19-0.
18—Potato Day.
19—Apple Day.
20—Penny Day—What next?
21—Thanksgiving Day program—Dorrit Weil spoke.
22—Wheeeeeeeeee! No school!
25—Indigestion reigns supreme.
26—Liquid air demonstration given by John Sloan in Chapel.
27—Hi-Y—Grade Cards! Faces lift a little.
29—Basketball game with Vaughnsville. We won! 35-32.

DECEMBER

2—G. A. A.
3—Assembly—George Myers "The little man that wasn't there"!
4—F. H. A.
6—Lima South game—47-40—Rough stuff!
7—North Baltimore game—63-19—A massacre!
10—Junior play "A Good Egg".
11—"A Good Egg" comes to a grand finis.
14—Harpster game—We won! 39-29.
16—Teachers Christmas party.
17—Assembly "Lost John of Mummy Ledge".
19—G. R. — Hi-Y Christmas caroling.
20—Christmas program — Ada game—We won! 49-27. Last day of school in 1940.
24—'Twas the day before Xmas when.....
25—Christmas.
31—Last day of Leap Year—Too bad girls.

Interesting Activities and Delightful Memories

CALENDAR

JANUARY

1—The morning after the night before!
6—Vacation ends—still got a headache.
7—Columbus Grove game—We won! 26-23.
8—Assembly—Safety program by Sheriff V. Daley.
10—Celina vs. Bluffton—They won 39-42.
11—Wilshire game—We won! 34-36.
14—Wapak game—We won! 46-34.
15—Exams hither and yon!
17—Basketball game with Carey postponed—Do tell, it's the flu!
20—G. A. A. plays Varsity from college—Honors divided.
21—F. H. A.—Fireside initiation.
22—Moan! Students attend session of farmers' institute.
24—Basketball game with St. Mary's. We won! 28-24.
27—First meeting of the National Defense classes.
31—Basketball game with Bellefontaine—We won! 21-26.

FEBRUARY

3—Just another blue Monday.
4—Gosh, is it cold!
5—F. H. A. entertain Columbus Grove F. H. A.
7—Another Ada game—We won! 40-32.
10—G. A. A. plays Van Buren.
11—Lima Jr. High played Bluffton Jr. High.
12—Birthday for Slusser, Buhler.
14—Basketball game with Van Wert—We won! 32-28.
15—Carey game—We won! 44-27.
16—District Hi-Y meeting at Lima.
17—G. A. A.
19—Hi-Y — F. H. A.
20—Senior Commencement invitations chosen.
21—Basketball game with Wapak—We won! 29-28.
22—Basketball game with Gallipolis—We won! 62-36.
25—Glee club presents the "Pinafore".
26—Second performance of the "Pinafore".
28—Basketball game with Upper Sandusky—We won! 44-34.

MARCH

3—G. A. A. played college girls.
4—Boone County Jamboree.
5—Speech contest here—W. Diller wins!
6—Grade Cards—What! again?
7—Tournament—Minster—50-49—Too close for comfort.
8—Tournament—Shawnee—As bad as North Baltimore—62-27.
11—One act play contest—Hi-Y boys went swimming.
12—G. R. Entertained Y. W. C. A.
14—Tournament—Delphos Jefferson—We won! 55-46.
15—Tournament—Cridersville—We lost 45-52—Are runners up.
16—G. R. Church service.
20—We express our sympathy for Mr. Longsdorf.
21—F. H. A. and F. F. A. banquet.
22—Choral music contest at Bowling Green.
28—Bluffton host to district orchestra contest.
31—"Animal is the craziest peoples"—Chapel program by the United States Society of Zoology.

APRIL

1—Lions musical revue in the high school gym.
2—Sheriff Daley spoke to Hi-Y.
4—District solo and ensemble contest at Ada.
7—Rain.
8—More Rain!!
9—Most rain!
10—Chapel—Easter program.
11—No school! Good Friday.
14—Junior-Senior Banquet? ? ? ? ? ?
17—G. R. Mother-Daughter banquet.
18—Boys and Girls Glee Club contest.
19—Orchestra contest at Columbus.
21—F. H. A. and F. F. A. skating party.
23—At last!—show—"Boys of the Street."
25—Art Classes go to Toledo.
27—Religious Education program.
29—One act plays, here.
30—One act plays, here.

MAY

2—Solo ensemble contests at Columbus.
3—Scholarship contest at Bowling Green.
6—Chapel "Wings Over America" by W. V. Haitsman.
16—Junior-Senior banquet.
22—Last day of school for seniors—"It all comes back to me now!"
25—Baccalaureate—Rev. Soldner the speaker.
26—Senior play "Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come".
27—Similar reproduction.
28—Class night.
29—Commencement—Mr. Jeffry, the speaker.
30—Alumni Banquet.

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b-bashful	b-baby
c-cuddling	c-clown
d-daring	d-dummy
e-educated	e-eland
f-foolish	f-fra
g-giggling	g-goof
h-heldup	h-heel
i-ignorant	i-idiot
j-joyless	j-jailbird
k-kissable	k-king
l-lonely	l-lover
m-mean	m-musician
n-naughty	n-nuisance
o-omnipotent	o-owl
p-plump	p-pal
q-quiet	q-quaestor
r-rough	r-rascal
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w-wicked	w-wretch
x-xyloed	x-xylographer
y-young	y-youth
z-zealous	z-zoologist

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Miss Slusser: "You should always let bygones be bygones."
Bob C.: "Then why do you make us learn History?"

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"Bumper," shouted the fender to the bumper on the front of the automobile as a fair pedestrian stepped into the street.
"I'm afraid I might 'fender'," replied the bumper.

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Jim M.: "How much speed in your car?"
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Ruth H.: "What did you have for lunch?"
Ruth G.: "Oh, I had a double malted milk with an egg."
Ruth H.: "Who was the egg?"

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Richard G.: "When the law is laid down what happens?"
Jim S.: "A lot of people step on it."

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Norman B.: "What is your opinion of A. Lincoln?"
Roger H.: "It's a good car, but I like a Packard better."

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Harriet B.: "Why are those bees flying around so frantically?"
Billie B.: "I guess they have hives.

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DEAD IMAGE

Harold A.: My brother and I were twins. We looked so much alike that no one could tell us apart. One day in school my brother threw spitballs and I was punished. My brother was arrested for speeding and I spent three days in jail for it. I had a girl and my brother ran off with her. But last week I got even with him. I died and they buried him.

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Betty S.: "To Philip who?"
Editor: "To Philip Space."

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One's Enough—Two Irishmen, one accompanied by his wife, met on the street. Said Pat to Mike: "Let me present my wife to ye."
"No, thank ye," replied Mike, "Oi got one of me own."

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No Doubt Whatever—Mr. Geiger: "You ought to brace up and show your wife who is running things at your house."
Mr. Daymon (sadly): "It isn't necessary. She knows."

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Bob C.: "Say, Bill, I was held up by a coffic trap today."
Bill A.: "The what?"
Bob: "The trappic coff—the caffic trop—the tropic caff—the—oh, hang it, you know what I mean!"

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Teacher: "Are there any more questions you would like to ask about whales?"

Mary J. Worthington: "Teacher, what has the prince got to do with them?"

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A minister, learning to play golf, suddenly remarked: "I must give it up! I must give it up!"

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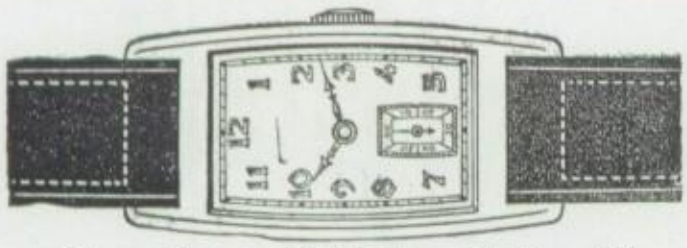

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Eugene N.: "I've just shot a dog."
Bill Mc.: "Was he mad?"
Eugene N.: "He wasn't exactly pleased."

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Mother: "Doris, I smell something burning. Are you sure you turned that electric iron off?"
Doris D.: "Yes, Mother, I pulled the chain and then to make sure I pulled it again."

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MAYBE SO

The woman who told the health authorities that she couldn't give the children a bath until the sour kraut barrel was emptied, was likely a sister or at least some kin to the gal who couldn't brush her teeth 'cause her hubby was blackin' his shoes.

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Harry T.: "Whoa."

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